The Mapleton Item.

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LOCAL NOTES.

—Just received 1200 bushels corn ears. B. O'Connor & Sons.

—Trout season opened on Monday. As usual the big ones got away.

—Paints, linseed oil, white lead, glass, putty, etc., at B. O'Connor & Sons'.

—Read what William Reed & Sons say in this issue. It is full of interest to spring buyers.

—For men's dress suits, shoes, hats shirts, etc., it will pay to go to W. G. Ewing's, Mt. Union, Pa.

—Just received a car load shingle lath, flooring, wainscoting, doors, etc., etc. B. O'Connor & Sons.

—Elmer Watson, of Newport, has been designated as acting ticket and freight agent at Birmingham.

—J. O. Heaton, Cassville, Pa., sells and recommends all of Chamberlain's remedies advertised in the ITEM.

—Mrs. Myrtie Clark, of Newton Hamilton, spent a few days of the past week with the family of R. S. Henderson.

—Preaching in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning at 10.15 by J. W. Countermine, of Princeton College.

—Edward Bailey lost one of his horses last Sunday morning. Spasmodic cholic is said to have been the cause of its death.

—A fine line of furniture, carpets, mattings and all house cleaning goods at reasonably low prices at Kimmels' store, Saltillo.

—Mrs. Nellie Kauffman has been making some improvements to her Main street residence which greatly improves the appearance.

—There was quite a fall of snow on Jack's mountain, south of Mapleton, on Sunday morning. This is unusual for April 14th in this latitude.

—At W. G. Ewing's, Mt. Union, you can get dress plaids as low as 5 cents per yard and all wool 36 inch dress goods at 25 cents per yard.

—Altoona has two cases of small-pox. Two families in Perry county are afflicted with the disease. The Altoona cases have been traced to Newport.

—All rubber goods reduced to cost to close out. Have a big lot on hands. Have taken in dry goods and a full line of notions and shoes at Kimmels' store, Saltillo.

—S. W. Kimmel & Sons have two saw mills and plenty of timber at Cole's Summit. Get prices on rough and dry building lumber. Address, S. W. Kimmel & Sons, Saltillo, Pa.

—If troubled by a weak digestion, loss of appetite, or constipation, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Every box warranted. For sale by J. G.Gillam.

—W. A. Parker, of Kipple, and George F. Godard, of Huntingdon, two Mapleton boys who have been successful in their respective vocations, were among the Sunday visitors to this place.

—W. G. Ewing, Mount Union, carries a big line of ladies' dress goods, muslin sheetings, table linens, sheetings, ginghams, plaids. etc., and it will pay to see his goods before purchasing.

—Markley's hotel, a pavilion, barn and ten other buildings at Williams' Grove, the Grangers' picnic resort, was destroyed by fire last Thursday. The loss is estimated at ten thousand dollars.

—William Treverton, of Carlisle, spent yesterday with his son in Mapleton. He was on his way to take charge of the mining operations of the Saxton Iron company at the Shoenberger mines in the upper end of this county.

—Fulton county has been getting herself into the newspapers quite frequently of late. Recently dispatches announced the finding of anthracite coal at two points in the county and last week the announcement was made that some of the roads in the county are macadamized with gold-bearing quartz rock which assays from $1.75 to $4.60 per ton. Thousands of acres in the vicinity where the rock was quarried have been leased for mining purposes. We hope there may be millions in it for our neighbors.

—W. A. Shoop last week moved from Union township into one of R. C. Fields' new houses on Grant street.

—Jesse Stever, of Cass township, who for the past few months has been attending a school of telegraphy in Ohio, returned home on the 6th inst. We were favored with a brief call from him yesterday.

—The number three school in this borough closed last Wednesday evening, number one Friday evening and number four Monday evening. The number two school will not close until next week. The term has been a very successful one and in our opinion all the teachers merit commendation for the zeal manifested in their work.

—On Wednesday of last week Rev. John W. White, of Milroy, Mifflin county, died in a hospital at Philadelphia. He was one time pastor of the Presbyterian church at Lewistown, and later pastor of the Free churches at Milroy and Siglersville, being in charge of the last named congregations for almost twenty years. His body was brought to Milroy where the funeral occurred on Friday.

—Last Friday evening about five o'clock an Italian named Tony Sherland, employed on the culvert at BP tower above town, was caught by the little car used for conveying material from the siding to the culvert and had his left thigh fractured. Dr. Spangler rendered such service as was needed and removed the injured man to the Altoona hospital on accommodation the same evening.

—The new shovel at Jackstown was put in operation last Friday and on Monday the railroad contractors commenced conveying material across the overhead bridge at that point. The engines in use are too light for the work and new ones will be procured. The new shovel is a monster and a day's work makes quite a mark in the hill east of town. Commencing last evening the work will be prosecuted night and day.

—Mrs. George Craig, of Huntingdon, returned home Monday evening from a Philadelphia hospital where she had been during the past three weeks undergoing an operation for an internal tumor. A tumor weighing twenty-three pounds was removed. She appears quite cheerful and believes the operation will restore her to health. She has many friends in and about Mapleton who sincerely hope such may be the case.

—Monday while Ralph, aged 10 years, and Annie, aged 8 years, children of Adam Sheaffer, of Juniata township, were playing at their home where their father had been making fence posts, the boy picked up a small ax and was chopping with it. His little sister's right hand rested on a trestle and the lad inadvertently sunk the ax into the back of it, severing the last three fingers back of the knuckles. Dr. H. O. Orris sewed the severed fingers on, with the hope of producing union, but, of course, with no positive assurance that the operation will be successful.—*Newport News.*

—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Cree, wife of John A. Cree, of 235 Hawkins Avenue, Braddock, died at the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, at 9.40 o'clock last Saturday evening. She had been admitted to the hospital that day for an operation. The operation was made but was not successful. Deceased was a daughter of Rev. John Price. With her parents she came to Mapleton about thirty-three years ago. Soon after she was married to Mr. Cree. They went to housekeeping in Mapleton and continued to reside here until ten years ago when they moved to Renfrew, Butler county, and subsequently to Braddock. She was aged 56 years and is survived by her husband, four sons and four daughters. Her father, two sisters and two brothers also survive her. Mrs. Cree was a noble woman, a devout Christian and a devoted wife and mother. She has a host of friends in this section who learn of her death with sadness. The remains were interred at Braddock yesterday afternoon. We extend sympathy to the bereaved friends.

—Last Saturday evening the officers of Mapleton Lodge, No. 468, I. O. O. F., were installed by D. D. G. M. T. M. Wood for the current term. They are as follows: N. G., E. O. Hooper; V. G., Levi Johnston; Sec., M. L. Rex; Treas., David Shore; relief committee, G. D. Wood; W., Harry Bailey; C., Harry Barkley; O. G., John M. Miller; I. G., C. W. Corbin; R. S. N. G., J. G. Gillam; L. S. N. G., Edward Brown; R. S. V. G., R. H. Brumbaugh; L. S. V. G., David Hutchinson; chaplain, Alfred Brumbaugh; R. S. S., W. C. Barkley; L. S. S., Watson Brininger.

—Charles Utts went into the store of B. O'Connor & Sons last Saturday evening to get his check cashed and to pay his bill. He was given a twenty dollar bill, a five dollar bill and some silver in change. While waiting for the silver he laid the two bills on the counter. Subsequently he discovered that he did not have the bills. The store was full of people at the time and no clue has been discovered that would lead to the recovery of the money. Mr. Utts can ill afford such a loss and whoever picked up the money ought to have honor enough to return it to the rightful owner.

—Joseph McKelvey died at his home in Cromwell township Tuesday morning, April 9th. He was aged 71 years, 5 months and 3 days. Deceased was a native of Franklin county but for more than half a century had resided in the vicinity of Orbisonia. He is survived by his wife and three children. The children are John, of Mount Union, Mrs. O. W. Moore, of Orbisonia, and Charles, of Montana. Mr. McKelvey served his country during the civil war and has taken an active interest in G. A. R. matters. He was a member of Orbisonia Lodge No. 640, I. O. O. F. For many years he has been a member of the M. E. church. Mr. McKelvey was an active and useful citizen.

Caught a Dreadful Cold.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by J. G. Gillam.

Marriage Licenses.

Jesse F. Kennedy and Bessie B. Hamer, both of Huntingdon.

James Buchanan, Mapleton, and Elizabeth A. Miller, Bratton township, Mifflin county, Pa.

Gaius M. Boring, Union township, and Carrie Allison, Mill Creek.

He Kept His Leg.

Twelve years ago J. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and 1½ boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them W. H. Spangler will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

—LOST—A Wirt fountain pen. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to this office.

A Testimonial from Old England.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by J. G. Gillam.

Pennsylvania Railroad Rates to Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the following special reduced rates to Buffalo, on account of the Pan-America Exposition, which opens on May 1:—

Summer excursion tickets, to be sold from April 30 to September 30, inclusive, and good to return until October 31, at the rate of $20.00 from Washington, $18.00 from Baltimore, $17.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

Ten-day excursion tickets, to be sold, beginning May 1, and continuing every day thereafter during the Exposition, good going on regular trains and good returning within ten days, including date of sale, at rate of $16.80 from Washington, $15.00 from Baltimore, $13.50 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

Special excursion tickets, to be sold, good going only on Thursday, May 23, and good returning within seven days, including date of sale, at rate of $10.00 from Baltimore and Washington, $9.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now operates two through trains each way daily between Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Buffalo. 4-17-2t

Annual Sabbath School Convention.

The annual convention of the Huntingdon County Sabbath School Association will be held in the M. E. church at Warriorsmark, Pa., April 23rd and 24th, 1901. Programme follows:

Tuesday evening, April 23.—Devotional services, Rev. G. L. Comp, Warriorsmark. Pa.; address, "The Sunday School of the Twentieth Century," Rev. A. D. Potts, Ph. D., Petersburg, Pa., to be followed by general discussion.

Wednesday morning, April 24.—Devotional service, Rev. J. A. Dunlap, Tyrone, Pa.; announcement of committees; address, "More Spirituality in Sunday School Work," Rev. G. M. Klepfer; address, "Normal Lesson in Bible Study," Mrs. M. G. Kennedy, Philadelphia, Pa.; address, "Home Department Blessings," Chas. Roads, D. D., general secretary, Philadelphia.

Wednesday afternoon.—Devotional services, Rev. H. H. Henry, Birmingham, Pa.; reports of committees and election of officers; address, "Parents Place in the Sunday School," T. W. Myton; round table, "The Sunday School Teacher," a general two minutes discussion; address, "Building Nobly on the Past," Charles Roads, D. D.; address, "Our Juniors," Mrs. M. G. Kennedy.

SUGGESTIONS.

Each school in the county is requested to send two delegates.

Ministers and superintendents are members of the convention.

Please announce the convention at the public meetings of your church.

Work and pray for the success of the convention—then come.

It is hoped that each Sunday school in the county during the year 1901 will contribute at least one cent per member to the county and state work.

Have your statistical reports ready for the convention or send them to the secretary, M. L. Shenefelt, Huntingdon, Pa., as soon as possible.

Free entertainment will be furnished to all who notify any member of the Entertainment Committee—Wm. Kinch, John Patton and Frank Confer.

Trains leave Tyrone for Warriorsmark at 7.50 A. M. and 3.15 P. M., and return at 11.30 A. M. and 5.47 P. M.

Pine Grove Entertainment.

A very pleasant entertainment was rendered by the scholars of the Pine Grove school Friday evening, April 12th, as a closing session of the Pine Grove Literary Society. The following programe was very ably rendered, giving much pleasure to all present: Call to order by the President, Mr. Leslie Smith; music by the school, "Let It Pass;" recitations by Miss Ethel Bumgardner and Percy Wright; music by Miss Chilcote and Miss Richardson; essay by Miss Carrie Swope; music by Miss Bumgardner, assisted by Miss Swope; select reading by Miss Blanah Smith; music on the violin by Mr. Holabaugh and Mr. Harklerode; recitations by Miss Bell Smith and Miss Gladis Wright; oration by Mr. Harklerode; music by the school, "We Will Crown Them with Roses;" recitation by Miss Mabel Swope; music by a class of boys and girls, "Summer's Gone Away;" reading of the society paper, "The Pine Grove Star," by Mr. Harklerode was much enjoyed by all. A critic's report was asked of Mr. S. L. Smith but the gentleman was so well pleased with the exercises that he found nothing to criticise.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Harklerode by the patrons of the school for his earnest efforts both in school and literary society. A talk by Mr. A. W. Wright was next in order and was enjoyed by all. Music by the school, "Bright, Beautiful Home," after which the meeting was adjourned, all feeling that they had enjoyed the evening's entertainment. J. S. H.

"I had piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once, I forgot I ever had anything like Piles." E. C. Boice, of Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's. W. H. Spangler.

MARKLESBURG.

This is wash day and all is quiet along the line.

The 15th of April and no oats seeded in this part of our valley.

'Squire Haffly, after a hard fight with pneumonia, is able to be out.

Harry Huff, located at Pittsburg, is at the bed side of his brother, Walter.

Winter wheat seems to be on the decline; not promising as well as it did a month ago.

George Summers, Cloyd Miller and Holly C. Crum are each the possessor of a new "bike."

The Marklesburg normal, under the management of Prof. L. E. Boyer, promises to be well patronized, as it should be.

Marklesburg borough is minus a burgess, the candidate for that office failing to be qualified at the designated time.

Walter Huff, one of Marklesburg's genial young men, is lying quite ill at the home of his father on Bedford street.

The many warm friends here of Dr. Hamilton, of Cassville, were sorry to hear of his illness and all unite in wishing for his speedy recovery.

Geo. W. Isett, well known to many of the readers of the ITEM, being confined to his room a good portion of the winter a sufferer from rheumatism, is able to be around again.

The following were the members of the graduating class from our high school: Miss Mary Kyler, Miss Ada Householder, Miss Florence Heffner and Henry Crum. Commencement exercises on the 5th inst.

We want to thank our old friend, your Trough Creek correspondent, for his kind words. It is an inspiration to know that our efforts are appreciated, by our intelligent and honest friend at least, and we promise to be heard from for some time. And now, old friend, another thing. In your items of last week referring to the good road made by Mordecai Chilcote you close by asking, "When will people learn that water running on any road will ruin the same?" Now, there is the whole trouble: water standing and running on our roads. A road to be good must be kept dry. Of course we cannot take them in out of the rain, but can have them in such a condition that the rain will run off at the sides as it runs off our buildings. But the system of road making is all wrong. The writer lives in sight of the H. & B. T. roadbed and every day he sees the repair hands at work cleaning ditches, raising a sunken tie, replacing a rail, seeing that ballast is kept in place, &c. Now, this company is wise. It does not permit the roadbed to get in such a condition that it becomes almost impassable and then put on a large force to repair the road. No. That would not be economy. But by keeping their road all the time in good repair there is a saving in the wear and tear of their rolling stock as well as a saving in motive power. How often do we see water from a melting snow drift or from an overflowing ditch run for rods in the centre of the roads, perhaps softening the surface and causing each succeeding wagon to cut deeper and deeper into the mud until the road becomes almost impassable. And yet, in the first place, a man with a shovel in ten or fifteen minutes could prevent all this and save what afterwards cost dollars to repair, besides the labor and unpleasantness of getting through the mud. Then why not divide our roads into sections, employ men to keep them in repair according to certain specifications. In the end it would cost the township less and I am satisfied we would have better roads.

"I have been troubled with indigestion for ten years, have tried many things, and spent much money to no purpose until I tried Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken two bottles and gotten more relief from them than all other medicines taken. I feel more like a boy than I have felt in twenty years." Anderson Riggs of Sunny Lane, Tex. Thousands have testified as did Mr. Riggs. W. H. Spangler.

DEERING AT PARIS IN 1900.

The Famous Chicago Harvester Company Received More and Greater Honors Than Were Ever Before Accorded an American Exhibitor in the History of Expositions.

America may well feel proud of the interest which her citizens took in the Paris Exposition and the elaborate exhibits which were prepared with consummate skill and displayed in a manner not excelled by any other country. Those of Harvesting Machinery in particular were most complete and interesting. The Deering Harvester Company, of Chicago, America's foremost manufacturer of this line of goods, was accorded the position of honor, having contributed more to the advancement of the art of harvesting than any other manufacturer, living or dead, and with a greater array of important inventions to its credit than any other company in the world.

Visitors to the Exposition were prompt to accord the Deering exhibits supreme honors, and it only remained for official mandate to ratify the popular verdict, which was done in a manner as substantial as it was well-merited. Each one of the seven Deering exhibits secured the highest award in its class.

In addition to four high decorations, the Deering Harvester Company received twenty-five awards, or twenty-nine in all, as follows: Decoration of Officer of the Legion of Honor, Decoration of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, Two Decorations of Officer of Merite Agricole, a Special Certificate of Honor, The Grand Prize, Six Gold Medals, Six Silver Medals and Eleven Bronze Medals, including Deering Collaborator Medals.

The Decoration of Legion of Honor was instituted by Napoleon Bonaparte when First Consul in 1802, and is only conferred in recognition of distinguished military or civil achievements. It is the highest distinction in the gift of the French Republic.

The Decoration of Merite Agricole is an honor of but slightly less importance, which is conferred upon those who have contributed greatly to the advancement of agriculture.

An Official Certificate of Honor was accorded the Deering Retrospective Exhibit, which showed the improvements in harvesting machinery during the past century, and excited the highest praise of the French Government Officials who had entrusted to the Deering Harvester Company the preparation of this most important exhibit. By special request this exhibit has been presented to the National Museum of Arts and Sciences at Paris, where it has become a permanent future of that world-famed institution.

The Deering Twine Exhibit and Corn Harvester Exhibit, both of which received the highest awards, have by request of the French Government been presented to the National Agricultural College of France.

There was no field trial, either official or otherwise, in connection with the Paris Exposition, but the most important foreign contest the past season was held under the auspices of the Russian Expert Commission at the Governmental Farm of Tomsk, Siberia, August 14th to 18th. All the leading American and European machines participated and were subjected to the most difficult tests by the Government Agriculturist. The Expert Commission awarded the Deering Harvester Company the Grand Silver Medal of the Minister of Agriculture and Domain, which was the highest award.

The Deering Harvester Works are the largest of their kind in the world, covering eighty-five acres and employing 9000 people. They are equipped with modern automatic machines, many of which perform the labor of from five to fifteen hands.

This Company is also the largest manufacturer of Binder Twine in the world, having been first to produce single-strand binder twine, such as is in general use today, making over a third of the product of the entire world. The output of its factory for a single day would tie a band around the earth at the equator, with several thousand miles to spare. The annual production would fill a freight train twenty miles long. Made into a mat two feet wide, it would reach across the American Continent from ocean to ocean.

Deering machines are known as LIGHT DRAFT DEALS, consisting of Binders, Mowers, Reapers, Corn Harvesters, Shredders and Rakes.

This Company exhibited at the Paris Exposition an Automobile Mower, which attracted much attention, and exhibitions were given with one of these machines in the vicinity of Paris throughout the season.

War Material For Afghanistan.

The Turkish Journal Terdchumani Halikat is responsible for the statement that the ruler of Afghanistan, Emir Abdu Rachman, is taking measures to protect his country against any attack by Russia or Great Britain. The Turkish paper says that during the last twelve years forts have been built all along the frontiers of Afghanistan, and that Herat has been so fortified as to withstand any attack. The whole line, from Herat to Kandahar, is said to be protected by well-designed forts, and the army has been entirely reorganized. In less than a week over 100,000 well-drilled soldiers can be concentrated upon any desired point. The Emir is now negotiating for the purchase of 200 quick-firing and mountain guns.

The Discovery of Alaska.

Alaska was discovered by Vitus Behring, 1741, and became Russian territory by right of discovery. Purchased by United States for $7,200,000 in 1867, as a deed of gratitude to Russia for her course in Civil War, and promises to become the source of enormous mineral, fur, agricultural and timber wealth. Governor appointed by the President of the United States. The purchase of Russian America (Alaska) is the event by which Mr. Johnson's administration is most favorably remembered.

King William's Cook is Dead.

Urbain Dubois has just died at Nice, aged eighty-five years. He for many years was head cook to King William I. of Prussia, and was a great favorite with the Empress, who declared, when war broke out with France, in 1870, that she would dismiss any one, whatever his rank or office might be, who sought a quarrel with her cook by virtue of his French nationality.

More than 150 new schoolhouses have been built in Kansas within the last year.

It takes a wise woman to be able to discriminate between her opinion and her prejudice.

AMERICAN BEEF BARRED

British Army Will Use None But Home-Bred Product.

FAR-REACHING EFFECT FEARED

The British Government Has Excluded All Beef Except Home-Bred From the Army Contracts — Chicago Packers Think That This Step Will Seriously Cripple Business—Millions at Stake.

Washington, D. C.—The Department of Agriculture has received a dispatch from a prominent packing company of Chicago announcing that it has just been advised that the British Government has excluded all beef, except home-bred, from the British Army contracts. This, it is stated, is to be effective June 1 next. Secretary Hay has cabled to Ambassador Choate an inquiry into the reason for the order of the British Government. This action is taken at the instance of the Department of Agriculture.

The Chicago concern has asked the Agricultural Department for any assistance it can render. It has pointed out that the action of the British Government is a severe blow to American beef and cattle exporters and producers, and means not alone the loss in Government trade, but it is feared it will serve very materially toward inciting a prejudice on the part of the people of Great Britain against the beef and cattle of this country.

To demonstrate the importance of the move now said to be contemplated, it is pointed out that the value of our annual exports of live animals to Great Britain amounts to $40,000,000, while the total of animal products exported from the United States to Great Britain is stated to be, in round numbers, $200,000,000.

It is pointed out here that this proposed embargo may really be a sequel, in greater or less degree, to the proceedings instituted at New Orleans against shipments of horses and mules from that port for use in the South African campaign. While this is, of course, merely conjectural, it is very strongly hinted that the New Orleans incident probably is the direct inspiration for the step.

It is pointed out that if the English really decided to take the action reported in the advices just received, they might turn to Australia for their meats. It is claimed, however, that meats cannot be obtained there of as good a quality or as cheap as in the United States.

London.—The British War Office confirms the report that it is going to try the experiment of supplying the army with only home-grown beef. The experiment will extend six months, from June 1.

GEORGE CANNON, MORMON, DEAD.

Former Apostle and Utah Delegate in Congress From 1872 to 1880.

Monterey, Cal.—George Q. Cannon, who was an apostle of the Mormon Church, died here after a brief illness. He had been one of the leading men of Utah and of the Mormon Church. The body was taken to Salt Lake City.

George Q. Cannon was born in Liverpool, England, January 11, 1827. He came to America in 1842, and was ordained an elder of the Mormon Church in 1845. In 1846 he joined the main body of the Mormons from Nauvoo, Ill., on the way to Utah, and reached there in 1847. In 1849 he went to California on missionary work, and in 1850 went to the Hawaiian Islands and remained there for four years. In 1855 he established the Western Standard in San Francisco. In 1860 he was made a member of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles. He was a Delegate in Congress from 1872 to 1880, and was one of the counselors to the President of the Mormon Church. He was connected with many of the business enterprises of Utah.

FLEET OF DESTROYERS DAMAGED

Back of One British Warship Broken by a Wave in the British Channel.

London.—The Telegraph says that disaster has overtaken the Devonport flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers since the inauguration of the system of cruises of three weeks. After the latest of these practice voyages eight boats returned to port disabled.

The most serious case was that of the Seal, the back of which was broken. It is feared that she is unfit for further service. The seven other vessels were variously damaged. Besides these there have been fifteen disabled boats of this class recently undergoing repairs at Portsmouth.

The trouble is ascribed to the unsuitability of torpedo boat destroyers, which are necessarily of somewhat flimsy construction, to knock about in such weather as causes larger vessels to seek shelter. Their plating is only an eighth of an inch thick.

Moslem Rebellion in Austria.

The Moslem population of Adachale Island, near the Iron Gate of the Danube, rebelled. The troops were called out, but met with much resistance. Sixteen Moslems were killed and fifty others wounded.

Assistant Patent Commissioner Resigns.

Walter H. Chamberlin, of Chicago, has tendered to President McKinley his resignation as United States Assistant Commissioner of Patents.

MONTANA CITY SHIFTING

A Portion of Butte Has Moved to the Southward.

Tracks of the Street Railway Line Pushed Out of Place — Geologists Explain the Phenomenon.

Butte, Mon.—A portion of Butte, believed to embrace the larger part of the big hill upon which all of the Anaconda mines are situated, has made a very perceptible movement southward during the past few days. At the foot of Anaconda Hill the slide pushed the tracks of the street railway line about six inches for a distance of about 300 feet along the road. As there are no large buildings in that part of the city no damage was done except to the railroad tracks, and but for their displacement the slide would not have been noticed.

Geologists and scientific men say that the entire range of mountains about Butte is constantly moving, and that the sliding process which has been going on for ages and has crushed and mixed the copper veins and bodies in the Butte district and displaced many of them is still going on. About a year ago a similar slide occurred in the western portion of the city and right in the heart of the residence portion. The County Court House, the handsome residence of Senator W. A. Clark, several church buildings and other buildings were seriously cracked.

The statement is made by well-known mining men that the cellar of a shaft of the Green Mountain Mine, one of the Anaconda properties, has moved about seven feet in ten years. The phenomenon is regarded with interest by scientific men, but no danger is feared from it.

PITTSBURG BURGLARS KILL TWO.

The Victims a Grocery Merchant and a City Detective.

Pittsburg, Penn.—Thomas D. Kahno, a Mount Washington grocer, was shot and killed in his home by three burglars while defending his wife, who was being chloroformed. A few hours later the rendezvous of the alleged robbers was discovered and a force of detectives put to work on the case. In a desperate fight which followed, City Detective Patrick E. Fitzgerald was instantly killed and one of the alleged robbers, who gave his name as Edward Wright, who fired the shots that killed Fitzgerald, was badly wounded.

Two men and two women were arrested, and diamonds and other property worth from $3000 to $4000 recovered. The whole of the gang is believed to be in custody, and the detectives say they have evidence that the men are responsible for the numerous burglaries of the past month or two in and around this city.

The wounded prisoner was removed to Mercy Hospital. The others arrested gave their names as Robert Wilcox and his wife, Jennie; J. B. Wright, a brother of the alleged murderer, and a woman said to be his wife. They were taken to Central Station, where it was learned that all were from Chicago.

PONCE TREASURY EMPTY.

Nearly Every Other Town in Porto Rico in the Same Condition.

San Juan, Porto Rico.—It is a fact worthy of the study of specialists that nearly every town in Porto Rico has an empty treasury. Several weeks ago in Ponce, when that city was threatened with an epidemic of smallpox, the chief medical officer of the Superior Board of Health, an insular body, suggested to the Mayor that the first step to be taken should be to erect a temporary hospital in which the cases could be quarantined. The Mayor shrugged his shoulders and admitted the feasibility of the scheme, but replied that there was no money available for the project.

The building suggested was to cost only $500. Eventually the hospital was built by a subscription raised among the business men. After it was ready to receive patients it was found that the city had no money with which to purchase supplies. These had to be furnished by a merchant of Ponce, who took over a city debt as security.

GREAT BATTLE IN ARABIA.

Sultan of Nejd Recovers Kingdom After Trapping Army of Mabaronk.

Bombay, India.—Ibu Raschid has recovered the Kingdom of Nejd, Central Arabia, after defeating Mabaronk, Sheik of Koweit, who recently seized the city of Nejd and deposed Ibu Raschid, after a pitched battle.

The army of Mabaronk was lured into a narrow gorge, and the hordes of Ibu Raschid swooped down from the mountains and overwhelmed their enemies.

Fugitives who have reached gulf ports declare that 5000 men were killed. The fate of Mabaronk is not known.

MRS. HALL SUES FOR A MILLION.

Alleges That She is the Adopted Daughter of Gilman.

Hartford, Conn.—Mrs. Blakely Hall began action in the United States Court for the recovery of her alleged share of the estate of the late George F. Gilman, of Bridgeport, the tea merchant.

Mrs. Hall in her declaration claims that she is the adopted daughter of Mr. Gilman and that she lived with him as his daughter, that he treated her as such. She estimates the value of the estate at $1,500,000.

Plea For Consistency.

"You are a most inconsistent woman," said Henpeck, turning at last.

"I am, eh!" she retorted. "How?"

"You insist upon having and using only the most expensive things, and yet——"

"Well? You certainly never objected to that?"

"No, but do be consistent. Don't use so much talk. It's cheap."—Philadelphia Press.

A Time For Silence.

"Always tell the truth, my boy," counseled Uncle Allen Sparks, "but don't be always telling it."—Chicago Tribune.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

It is said that R. G. Gill, superintendent of the model rooms in the United States Patent Office at Washington, has an intimate knowledge of every one of the 700,000 models under his charge, though they range in intricacy from a fountain pen to a complicated triple expansion engine for a transatlantic liner.

Coughing Leads to Consumption

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once, delays are dangerous.

Lightning is visible at a distance of 150 miles. Opinions differ as to how far away thunder can be heard. A French astronomer who has made observations declares that thunder can not be heard at greater distance than ten miles. An English meteorologist has counted up to 190 seconds between between the flash and the thunder, which would give a distance of twenty-seven miles from the place where the lightning occurred.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15 and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

It is estimated by the Missionary Review that there are now in the world 355 mission hospitals and 753 dispensaries. In the course of the year there were 93,000 in-patients, 2,579,651 individual patients were attended to, and 6,647,840 visits were paid.

A salad is like a woman. A great deal depends upon the dressing.

Lane's Family Medicine

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Of Aguinaldo's age there is great doubt. The estimates range from twenty-seven to thirty-two. He himself does not know the year in which he was born, but 1874 is believed to be the correct date. He is five feet four inches in height, an accomplished linguist, and as a general has been called the "Filipino Napoleon."

No living thing is so lonesome as a friendless child.

Each package of PUTNAM FADELESS DYE colors either Silk, Wool or Cotton perfectly at one boiling. Sold by all druggists.

Condensed Reproof.

Occasionally there is to be found a proprietor of a second-hand bookstore who is something more than the nature of his business would seem to indicate. He regards his rare and old volumes rather as a collection than a stock of goods, and experiences a pang when he parts with one.

A flippant young man dropped into a second-hand bookstore kept by a man of this kind.

Taking down several choice old books from the shelves,, he fingered them carelessly and replaced them.. They happened to treat of abstruse subjects and did not appeal to him.

"Are any of these books for hire?" he asked, carelessly.

"No, young man,' sharply answered the proprietor. "They are for lore."—Youth's Companion.

A Danger.

"Do you ever look back on your life and reflect on the opportunities you have missed?" inquired the melancholy man.

"No, sir," answered the hustler. "It would be just my luck to miss some more while I was brooding over what can't be helped."—Washington Star.

First Royal Speech Telegraphed.

It is said that the first royal speech transmitted by telegraph was first delivered by the late Queen Victoria, when she opened Parliament on November 15, 1837. The speed of transmission was fifty-five words a minute.

Letter Which Went Too Quickly.

The letter boxes in the principal thoroughfares of Berlin are now cleared every fifteen minutes during the busy hours of the day. The rapidity of delivery of letters recently even resulted in the saving of a human life. A girl determined to commit suicide, wrote to her parents of her intention and posted the letter, which was delivered within an hour of its being posted. This enabled the father to hurry off in a cab to the spot in the Thiergarten which his daughter had mentioned as that where her body would be found, to catch her alive, box her ears and take her home. —Harper's Magazine.

Novel Way to Predict the Weather.

A novel method of predicting the weather has been discovered by Professor A. Tommasina, a French scientist. He uses for this purpose an instrument, which he has just perfected and which he calls an "electrical radiophone." By means of it he can ascertain the exact nature of the electrical currents in the air at any moment, since the instrument is fitted with a clockwork arrangement, which registers the precise quality of each current. There are also several bells in the instrument, each of which is bound to ring whenever it is affected by a particular current. If the current is strong, a loud bell rings; if it is weak, only a slight tinkling is heard. Professor Tommasina claims that this instrument will be found of great service, especially on vessels at sea, since it will prove much more reliable than the present method of ascertaining weather conditions, which is of hardly any use except near a coast.—Electricity.

Extra Coverings on Animals.

Some birds and animals put on extra foot coverings for winter use in walking on snow and ice and boring into it for food. Among these are the ruffed grouse, the ptarmigan, and Western rabbit. The latter is sometimes known as the "snowshoe rabbit," because of the long and stiff hair which appears on its feet in cold weather. The ptarmigan has broad, stiff feathers on its feet, and the ruffed grouse a sharp-pointed fringe. These drop off in the spring of the year.

On some of the Japanese railways terra cotta sleepers are used. They are far more durable than those of wood.

DO YOU FEEL LIKE THIS?

Pen Picture for Women.

"I am so nervous, there is not a well inch in my whole body. I am so weak at my stomach and have indigestion horribly, and palpitation of the heart, and I am losing flesh. This headache and backache nearly kills me, and yesterday I nearly had hysterics; there is a weight in the lower part of my bowels bearing down all the time, and pains in my groins and thighs; I cannot sleep, walk, or sit, and I believe I am diseased all over; no one ever suffered as I do."

This is a description of thousands of cases which come to Mrs. Pinkham's attention daily. An inflamed and ulcerated condition of the neck of the womb can produce all of these symptoms, and no woman should allow herself to reach such a perfection of misery when there is absolutely no need of it. The subject of our portrait in this sketch, Mrs. Williams of Englishtown, N.J., has been entirely cured of such illness and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and the guiding advice of Mrs. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass.

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CONDITION OF THE CROPS

A Very Promising Prospect in the Winter Wheat Area.

FRUIT OUTLOOK ENCOURAGING

Cold Weather Setback—Too Much Rain and Snow, Except in Texas—General Improvement in the Condition of Winter Wheat, Except in Ohio, Illinois and Oklahoma—Corn Reports Are Bad

Washington, D. C.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by the Weather Bureau says:

The week has been generally cold, with heavy rains in the Atlantic coast districts, lower Missouri Valley and on the North Pacific Coast, and heavy snowfall all over portions of the lower lake regions, Middle Atlantic States and New England.

These conditions have greatly interfered with warming operations, which are generally late, and practically in the Central valleys and Atlantic coast districts, due in part to the heavy rains of March. In central and western Texas, however, rain is much needed.

But little progress with corn planting has been made since the first of the month, except in the extreme Southern districts, where it is nearing completion in some sections.

Slow germination and poor stands are generally reported from the Southern States.

A very general improvement in the condition of winter wheat is reported, except in portions of Ohio, Illinois, Oklahoma and Texas, where damage by insects is more or less apparent, the last named State reporting unfavorable effects of drought

On the Pacific Coast the outlook for winter wheat continues promising, but the crop needs rain over a large part of California.

Oat seeding is well advanced as far north as the Ohio Valley, and some seeding has been done in Nebraska. In the East Gulf and South Atlantic districts the outlook is very promising, but the crop is being injured by drought and insects in Texas.

Preparations for cotton planting have been delayed by excexssive rains in portions of the Carolinas, Georgia and Alabama, but over the central districts good progress has been made, and planting is in operation as far North as Arkansas and Northern Mississippi and North Carolina.

Reports respecting the fruit outlook are almost uniformly encouraging. In California, however, severe frosts have caused serious injury in the central and northern districts.

SPECIAL TELEGRAPH REPORTS.

Weather Conditions in the Middle and New England States.

NEW YORK.—Frost out of the ground, but season backward; snow three feet deep in parts of northern section and a fall of three to eighteen inches general; heavy rains during week; some gardening and plowing in extreme southeast; wheat and rye in good condition; grass starting slowly; maple sugar light.

NEW JERSEY.—Heavy rains in all sections, although retarding farm work, were highly beneficial, as subsoil was dry and many wells and springs in extreme portions low; in southern portion a large acreage of early potatoes, corn and hardy truck has been planted; plowing and seeding oats begun in central portion first of week; winter green and grass improving slowly; fruit buds, north portion, still dormant, elsewhere swelling and promising; temperature about normal; cloudiness and rainfall excessive.

PENNSYLVANIA.—Heavy precipitation and cool and cloudy weather have tended to retard growth of vegetation; heavy rains in the southeast stopped plowing, and a foot or more of snow in other sections interrupted farm work; other than the hauling out of manure farm work has not been started in northern counties, farther south considerable plowing has been done; grain generally looks splendid, and prospects are brighter for grass; maple sugar now being secured in northern districts.

NEW ENGLAND.—Weather cloudy, much rain, seasonal temperature; much snow now in Northern States, ground bare, with plowing and gardening in favorable locations in southern portion; grass and grain wintered well; fruit promising, except peaches, are injured; some tobacco beds seeded; maple sugar small crop.

MARYLAND AND DELAWARE.—Week cool and wet; foot of snow in extreme west, heavy rains elsewhere; plowing and other farm work delayed; winter grain in excellent condition, timothy fair, clover very poor; some peas and potatoes up in southern counties; tobacco plants growing nicely; fruit buds swelling in north, apricot and peach trees in blossom in extreme south.

STAMP TAX TO RAISE $15,000,000

Proposed Tax on All Interest-Bearing Contracts For New York's Benefit.

Albany, N. Y.—Senator Raines (Rep., Ontario) introduced a bill to impose a stamp tax of one-fifth of one per cent. upon the principal of all interest-bearing contracts, such as stocks, bonds and mortgages. The stamps are to be purchased from the State Controller. Senator Raines says the bill will raise about $15,000,000 annually, as near as can be estimated.

Spring Cleaning Made Easy.

Much of the terror of spring cleaning may be avoided by proper preparation. Settled weather should be selected for the work, and a supply of all needed articles in readiness. Ivory Soap will be found best for washing windows, paints and floors; it is harmless, and very effective in making the house clean and fresh.—Eliza R. Parker.

The best collection of Chinese coins to be found outside of China has been given to the archaeological museum of the University of Pennsylvania by Rev. E. W. Twing, a Honolulu missionary. The collection goes back to a time over 2000 years ago, and includes those odd, early Chinese coins which were made in the form of spades, razors, keys, shirts and tools.

If You Have Dyspepsia

Send no money, but write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., Box 148, for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Restorative; express paid. If cured, pay $5.50; if not, it is free.

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TROUGH CREEK.

Peter Posten, of Mapleton, made a business trip to the valley last week.

Luther Prutsman, a harness maker, has been making and repairing harnes for some time in our valley.

Geo. W. David, who has been running a 'buss in Tyrone the past winter, came to the valley Saturday, returning Monday.

We are to have another telephone line up Little Trough Creek as far as J. F. Swope's. A part of the holes are dug and the poles are on the ground ready to set. We understand the line is expected to cross the mountain to 'Squire Bagshaw's to connect with a line to Huntingdon.

I am glad to hear that Dr. Hamilton, of Cassville, is improving and sincerely hope for his speedy recovery. The doctor has held the fort at Cassville for a longer term than any other doctor for the past fifty years and his many friends, ye correspondent included, would be sorry to lose him as a physician and citizen.

The Pine Grove literary society gave its last entertainment last Friday night, which, like the others, was a good one. An essay read by Miss Carrie Swope deserves special mention. It was certainly an able production. The pupils gave Prof. Harkleroad a hearty vote of thanks for his untiring and successful efforts in their behalf. The professor replied that the thanks were due the pupils for their good conduct and the interest they had taken in the school, and to the citizens for their uniform kindness to him during his sojourn with them. The school will close to-morrow (Wednesday).

In driving down the valley last Friday I met John Bowman, of Cass township, a distance below the line between the two townships. He said to me: "You are in Cass township now." I replied that if it had been after night I would have known it without anyone telling me. While it might be considered somewhat cruel, I almost wished that some of our old fogies were dragged by the neck for five rods on our side of the line and one rod on the Cass township side. This would not be much more cruel to them than they are to their horses that have to blunder along the deep ruts and through the horrible mud holes. But some people would rather lean their taxes out on the shovel handle all their days than spend a dollar for improvement.

A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by W. H. Spangler. Price 50c.

LATTA GROVE.

Old Jack Frost made his appearance on Tuesday morning.

Last Sunday's big rain made the streams overflow their banks.

George D. Lynn and H. A. Monihen are putting up a cellar wall for Alvin Decker.

J. M. Dell and wife, of Langdondale, spent a few days with Peter Dell's family recently.

Henry Stever, guard at the Reformatory, spent Saturday and Sunday with his many friends in these parts.

Ora Querry, Esco Walker and Jack Dell were attacked by a wild cat the other night going home from church passing through "wild cat hollow." There was a monster stepped out in the road in front of them but by the use of stones and clubs they made their way home safe.

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NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows under the Act of the 14th day of April, 1851, have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Huntingdon county, and will be confirmed ni si on May 8, 1901. If no exceptions be filed thereto the same will be confirmed absolutely September 4, 1901.

1. GREEN. Inventory of the personal property of James W. Green, late of Porter township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Charlotte Green.
2. STEWART. Inventory of the personal property of George W. Stewart, late of Cromwell township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Sarah Stewart.
3. GARNER. Inventory of the personal property of Harry Garner, late of Marklesburg borough, deceased, as taken by his widow, Emma M. Garner.
4. HICKES. Inventory of the personal property of John A. Hickes, late of Hopewell township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Jennie Hickes.
5. DONELSON. Inventory of the personal property of Andrew B. Donelson, late of Carbon township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Sarah Donelson.
6. CAMPBELL. Inventory of the personal property of Rev. D. H. Campbell, late of Mount Union borough, deceased, as taken by his widow, Annie H. Campbell.
7. STAINS. Inventory of the personal property of David Stains, late of Springfield township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Catharine Stains.
8. RUBY. Inventory of the personal property of Valentine Ruby, late of Springfield township, deceased, as taken by his widow, Elizabeth Ruby.

Office of Clerk O. C., April 6, 1901. } B. F. GODARD, Clerk Orphans' Court.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following named persons have settled their accounts in the Register's office at Huntingdon, and that the said accounts will be confirmed nisi May 8, 1901, and absolutely May 13, 1901.

1. NEARHOOF. Account of David Funk, administrator of Catharine Nearhoof, late of Warriorsmark township, deceased.
2. NEFF. First and final account of Henry A. Neff, administrator of the estate of Milton C. Neff, late of Porter township, deceased.
3. NEFF. First and final account of Henry A. Neff, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Neff, late of Porter township, deceased.
4. COHENOUR. First and final account of J. A. Rogers, administrator of the estate of Jacob C. Cohenour, late of Cromwell township, deceased.
5. VAUGHN. First and final account of W. A. Vaughn, trustee to sell the real estate of William Vaughn, late of Tell township, deceased, in partition, with distribution annexed.
6. RHODES. First and final account of J. E. Smucker, executor of John Rhodes, deceased, late of the borough of Huntingdon, with distribution annexed.
7. WIBLE. Account of Martha Wible and Porter Wible, administrators of James M. Wible, late of Springfield township, deceased.
8. FOCHT. First and final account of H. H. Summers, administrator d. b. n. of the estate of Rev. Joseph R. Focht, late of the borough of Marklesburg, deceased.
9. FOCHT. First account of H. H. Summers, executor of the estate of Sarah Focht, late of the borough of Marklesburg, deceased, with distribution annexed.
10. BOYER. First and final account of George D. Boyer, executor of the last will of David Boyer, late of Shirleysburg borough, deceased, with distribution annexed.
11. ROBINSON. First account of W. C. Locke and J. F. Schock, executors of Charlotte E. Robinson, late of the borough of Huntingeon, deceased, with distribution annexed.
12. BELLMAN. First and final account of John Phillips, administrator of the estate of Jane E. Bellman, late of Alexandria borough, deceased.
13. WALKER. First and final account of M. N. Walker, administrator of Mary A. Walker, late of Barree township, dec'd.
14. GROVE. The final account of George W. Bridenbaugh, guardian of the personal estate of Harry R. Grove, minor child of Andrew Grove, late of Grafton, Penn township, deceased.
15. SMITH. Final account of Amos L. Smith, administrator of William Smith, deceased.
16. HARNISH. Account of Thomas M. Enyeart, executor of the last will and testament of Sarah Harnish, late of Penn township, deceased.
17. BEIGLE. The second and final account of Joseph Lefford, executor of the last will and testament of Edward Beigle, late of Spruce Creek, Huntingdon county, Pa., deceased.
18. BROWN. First account of Elmer C. Brown, trustee of Lawrence L. Brown, under the will of Samuel T. Brown, deceased.
19. GREGORY. Account of D. Ross Gregory, acting executor of the last will and testament of Samuel Gregory, late of West township, deceased.
20. MILLER. Account of J. C. Jackson, administrator of Dr. Jesse C. Miller, late of Penn township, deceased.
21. BLACK. First and final account of Alexander Denny, surviving executor of David Black, late of the borough of Huntingdon, deceased, with distribution annexed.
22. BELL. First and final account of Annie T. Miller, administratrix of Mary Ann Bell, late of Miller township, deceased, with distribution annexed.

Register's office, April 6, 1901. } B. F. GODARD, Register.

Mercantile Appraiser's List

The Venders of Foreign and Domestic Merchandise, Etc., in Huntingdon County, Will Take Notice That They are Appraised and Designated by the Undersigned Appraiser of Mercantile and Other License Taxes, for the Year 1901, *as follows, to wit:*

Alexandria Boro.

Walker E P, general merchandise
Phillips & Altman, coal
Hatfield Co, general merchandise
Kean John B, general merchandise
Piper T H, " "
Walker w S, tinware
Walker Geo H, "
Webb H E, cigars

Barree Twp.

Crownover R A, Manor Hill, general mdse
Crownover H S, Saulsburg, " "
Everts E M, Masseysburg, " "
Gearhart Levi, Manor Hill, " "
McMahon B F, Charter Oak, " "
Gardner John A, Saulsburg, " "

Broad Top City Boro.

Cutshall Silas, Broad Top City, general mdse
Diggins L L & Elsie, Broad Top City, millinery
Edwards J R, " " " gen mdse
Shapiro Bros, " " " " "
wilkins Jas B, " " " " "

Brady Twp.

Etnier John S, Mill Creek, general mdse
Gillam & Myton, " " "
Stonebraker w H, " " "
Pelan Laura J, Airy Dale, " "

Carbon Twp.

Bright W H, Robertsdale, general mdse
Morgan Fanny, " grocery
McClain Jesse O, " general mdse

Cassville Boro.

Corbin H M, shoes
Greene George M, doors and sash
Greene Austin, leather goods
Heaton S A, general merchandise
Heaton J O, " "
Heaton J w, tinware
Houck J L, general merchandise
Snyder Wm, shoes

Cass Twp.

Stever Michael, Latta Grove, general mdse

Coalmont Boro.

Hess Jacob, general merchandise
Hickes George A, gen mdse
Thompson James, " "

Cromwell Twp.

Price Mrs B F, Pogue, general merchandise
McManigal John, Lodema, gen mdse

Dudley Boro.

Brown William, general merchandise
Bolinger Wm M, cigars
Dorsey Wm, groceries
Gould Bros, "
Maher William, "
Reed C D, general merchandise
Sweet W H, " "
Palmer John W, cigars

Dublin Twp.

Appleby Geo S, Decorum, general mdse
Harper & Peterson, Neelyton, gen mdse
Snyder Joseph, Shade Gap, " "

Franklin Twp.

Archey F W, Penna Furnace, coal
Bathurst L W, Graysvile, cigars
Gill I P, Ronold, general merchandise
Keatley Annie, Franklinville, gen mdse
Porter w A, " " "
Reed John, Graysville, implements

Henderson Twp.

Evans A Y, Union Church, general mdse
Long G w, Huntingdon, confectionery

Hopewell Twp.

Brumbaugh Levi, Foxton, coal
Brumbaugh B N, " implements
Dorman John, Shy Beaver, general mdse
Foreman Maggie, Shy Beaver, gen mdse
Hess John H, " " " "

Huntingdon Boro., First Ward.

Denny Alexander, general merchandise
Dysart Mary J, " "
Brown L R, cigars
Bare John S, lumber
Brunswick Hotel, cigars
Bolinger A A, groceries
Snyder John W, coal
Simpson John, implements
Mobus Fred, oysters

Huntingdon Boro., Second Ward.

Africa Bros, hardware
Black & Co, druggists
Black T w, jewelry
Bloom R, shoes
Brown Philip & Sons, furniture
Blair J C Co, stationery
Black Kate, millinery
Barrick Maud, groceries
Bagshaw Mary J, millinery
Benkert & Sons, meats
Chaney S B & Co, hardware
Corbin M F, groceries
Carmon J R, general merchandise
Crownover H, groceries
Dick J K, paper and paints
Fink B F, hardware
Singer Sewing Machine Co, sewing machines
Hazlett W W, clothing
Hazlett J C, shoes
Isenberg J G & Son, clothing
Leister & Son, shoes
Leister H L, cigars
Leister H W, drugs
Leister Bros, cigars
Miller Bros, tobacco and cigars
Miller G W, " " "
Miller R G, groceries
Mayer Hugo, clothing
Miller & Lykens, gents' supplies
Meredith Ada, millinery
McElwain A P, groceries
Norris Luden, collars and whips
Port J B, confectioneries
Port G Chal, meats
Reed Wm & Sons, dry goods
Reed John & Sons, drugs
Rohm Harry, queensware
Starr J M, groceries
Sanderson G W, general merchandise
Stewart & Son, silverware
Summers M L, groceries
Smith S S, drug store
Simonson E M, millinery
Snyder F L, groceries
Spooneybarger J E, bicycles
Steel H E, drugs
Union News Co. news stand
Shaffer Bros, newspaper
Vuille Charles, photographic supplies
Williams G S, shoes
Vaughan Frank C, tinware
Westbrook Chas M, shoes
Westbrook T A, groceries
Wallace Bros, cigars
White John, coal
Yocum G W, novelty
Zerby L W, silverware
Zeigler Bros, cigars
Laird J M, groceries
Decker Mrs E M, millinery
Maulls James, oils
Stewart & Shaffer, clothing
Fisher G W, confectionery
Doyle C E, "
Shaw C E, "
Wilson w R, "
Stewart & Co, lumber
Gerlach Geo S, buggies
Bales G W "

Huntingdon Boro., Third Ward.

Acme Grocery Co, general merchandise
Brumbaugh O M, " "
Bayer Margaret, millinery
Bice E K, paper and paints
Blank Isaac, dry goods
Foust John, coal
Free John, cigars
Gernert M S, harness supplies
Johnson J H, general merchandise
Kuhn Adam, novelties
McCarthy C R & W B, furniture
Miller C H, hardware
Mullen A S, general merchandise
Corbin F M, groceries
Stouffer J S, feed
Opera House Drug Store, drugs
Port & Dales, meat
Quinter David, coal
States J C & Son, grocery
Westbrook J L, confectioneries
Wimer John R, groceries
Anderson C H, collars and whips
Beatty Art & Music Co, instruments
Gorden Chas C, cigars
Decker W N, meat
Fowler John H, confectioneries
Swartz Max, junk dealer
Kepler L M, machine supplies
Gerlock H W, " "

Huntingdon Boro., Fourth Ward.

Coffman David, groceries
Clement Samuel, "
Davis Jonathan, general merchandise
Ergler Florian, groceries
Hall Harry, groceries
Hicks & Kennedy, meat
Juniata Planing Mill Co, lumber
Milliken W R, coal
Miller Simon, oysters and fish
Magsam S C, fish
Nophsker, J S, general merchandise
walton T B, groceries
wright J O, general merchandise
Stull S T, cigars

Jackson Twp.

Bigelow S Libbie, McAlevy's Fort, millinery
Cummins Wm, " " gen mdse
Galloway J D, " " " "
Harper W H, " " " "
Harper A Woods, " " collars & whips
Lee F H & F, " " gen mdse
Logan & Co, Greenwood Furnace, " "
Schnee w w, McAlevy's Fort, furniture
Wilson Amy M, " " millinery
Jacobs J M, Ennisville, general mdse

Lincoln Twp.

Hess J H, Entriken, general merchandise
Shultz D F, " " "

Marklesburg Boro.

Brumbaugh & Co, James Creek, general mdse
Garner A B, " " "
Schell & Foust " " "
Spang w E & Son, " " "

Mapleton Boro.

Baker L F, cigars
Clark C H, general merchandise
Gillam A B, " "
Gillam J G, " "
O'Connor & Son, general merchandise
Spangler W H, " "
Swoope H H, coal
Wright Alice, confectionery
Truax M P, general merchandise
Stombaugh J w, jewelry
Neice M L, feed

Miller Twp.

Blair James, Cornpropst's Mills, general mdse

Morris Twp.

Union Furnace Supply Co, Morrell, gen mdse
Waite T C, Waterstreet, general mdse
Merriman Jesse, Waterstreet, genaral mdse

Mount Union Boro.

Appleby T A, general merchandise
Adams T H " "
Beers E M, cigars
Booth Frank, collar and whips
Davis Bros, drugs
Davis John C, confectioneries
Douglass B F, tombstones
Ewing W G, general mdse
Fields C, meats
Hunter Mrs W A, millinery
Hunter W A, drugs
Jamison G A, general merchandise
Harrison H W & Bro, hardware
Horting F O, silverware
Lukens G W, confectioneries
Longacre R M, general mdse
Maxwell H W, hardware
Nevell J M, cigars
Pyles T W, groceries
Postlethwaite T F, coal
Rinker & Madden, meat
Roberts C B, cigars
Rhodes E M, general merchandis
Smelker H S, " "
Welch A S, hardware
Welch D G, clothing
Wharton D S, jewelry
Wharton B C, general merchandise
Weams Mrs R, confectioneries
Crumm C B, general merchandise
Simons A, furniture
McAteer Matthew, cigars
Rummell David, feed

Oneida Twp.

Foster J H, Donation, general merchandise
Hearn A B, Gorsuch, " "
McElwain G L, " " "

Orbisonia Boro.

Ashman J K, cigars
Brodbeck Jacob, general merchandise
Barkle John, hardware
Boyles D M, millinery
Burns M, "
Brant Mollie "
Cummins F F, general merchandise
Caddy William, feed
Campbell Wm, jewelry
Enyeart D R P, general merchandise
Heck E O, " "
Hicks G W, confectioneries
Helzel S F, harness supplies
Houck & Chilcoat, furniture
James G W C, drugs
McClain John, confectioneries
Ott Wesley, "
Ott Lillie M, millinery
Rowe J J, meats
Rutter Bruce, confectionery
Shapiro Bros, general merchandise
Shaffner H V, cigars
Weller M A, confectionery

Penn Twp.

Auman Jacob, Aitch, general merchandise
Davis H H, Grafton, " "
Grove G C, " "
Hess Frank, Aitch, " "
Keith Jeremiah, Aitch, general merchandise

Porter Twp.

McElroy W W H, Barree Forge, general mdse

Petersburg Boro.

Bruner O F, general merchandise
Feagley G W, meat
Hoffman & Thompson, general mdse
Laird E W, " "
Manbecker J M, confectionery
Steel Edward, general mdse
Stewart F L, " "
Shipton Mary P, Ribot, general mdse
Swoope E M, hardware
Stryker S L, general mdse
Wilson Annie M, millinery

Rockhill Boro.

Chilcoat B F, general merchandise
Puckey & Co, coal

Spruce Creek Twp

Enyeart E E, groceries
Graffius Clara, general merchandise
Law J H, " "
Lichenstein J, clothing
Stevens Oliver, coal
Thompson S C, general merchandise
Weyer John H, coal

Shirleysburg Boro.

Brewster w H, general merchandise
Barton B C, coal
Harris Ella M, confectionery
Lightner & Bowser, general mdse
Myers L J, hardware
Miller w S, "
Miller G W, general mdse
Riffle John, confectionery

Shade Gap Boro.

Montgomery S C, general mdse
Miller S G, implements
Royer & Taylor, general mdse
Swan Bros, " "
Scott Frank, furniture
Zeigler H C, tinware

Saltillo Boro.

Crum C B, general mdse
Henderson Minnie, millinery
Heeter G A, confectionery
Kimmell S W, general mdse
McClain D E, " "
Sollers W B, confectionery
Shope D F, general mdse
Weaver H T, " "

Springfield Twp.

Curfman G A, Meadow Gap, general mdse
Brewster J C, " " " "
Locke Harrison, Selea, general merchandise
Locke H R, Maddensville " "
Ramsey Elmer, " "

Shirley Twp.

Miller A J, Cora, general merchandise
Zeigler John, Aughwick Mills, general mdse
Hartman Wm, Valley Point, " "
Zimmerman D A, " " " "

Smithfield Twp.

Etnier A, Huntingdon, general merchandise

Three Springs Boro.

Cohick John, coal
Cutshall Allen, general merchandise
Cutshall P B, " "
Park Clay, " "
Stevens Bros, hardware
wilson H E, groceries
Norris H L, collars and whips
Starr C E, feed
Noble L G, "

Tod Twp.

Baker L B, Todd, general merchandise
Green Chas L, Trough Creek, gen mdse
Griffith Amos, Eagle Foundry, " "

Tell Twp.

Blair J M & Co, Blair's Mills, general mdse
Book H L, Shade Valley, " "
Goshorn T B, McNeal, " "
Scott & Kling, Nossville, " "
Johns J A, Blair's Mills, " "
Milliken w A, " " cigars
Parsons w M C, McNeal, groceries
Parsons J O, Nossville, general mdse
Rhine S E, Blair's Mills, furniture

Union Twp.

Shaffer & Hoover, Calvin, general mdse
wright w P, " "
wright w E, " implements
wright w L, Colfax, groceries

Warriorsmark Twp.

Bistline w M, hardware
Chronister Martin w, general mdse
Cox George B, groceries
Hagerty Henry, coal
Lever G B, general merchandise
Minnick w H, oils
Mattern F K, general merchandise
Nearhoof B F, " "
Seigel william, Birmingham, groceries
wilson william, " "

Walker Twp.

Bupp Solomon, McConnellstown, implements
Heffner J B, " coal
Heffner Baker, " meat
Householder J F N, " tobacco&cigars
Lang C w, " meat
Lang william, " coal
Lloyd I w, " general mdse
Peightal S A, " " "
Vanorman L L, " " "

West Twp.

Croyle S E, Neff's Mills, general merchandise
Eberly John & Son, Cottage, general mdse
Henry J Thompson, " " "

WHOLESALE.

Atlantic Refining Co, Huntingdon, oils
Bayer & Beaver, " groceries
Grimison Bros, Huntingdon, confections & cigars
Miller C H, " hardware
Port J B, " confectioneries
Snyder John & Peter, Huntingdon, cold storage

EATING HOUSES.

Brenneman O C, Huntingdon
Doyle Charles, "
Fisher G w, "
Lightner william "
wilson w R, "

POOL AND BILLIARDS.

Corbin H U G, Huntingdon, 3 tables
Swivel Thos J, " 1 table
Miller w G, " 1 table
Horting T O, Mount Union, 2 tables

BROKERS.

Bruner & Deal, Huntingdon

TAKE NOTICE—all who are concerned in this appraisement, that an appeal will be held at the Court House in Huntingdon, on the 20th day of April, A. D., 1901, when and where you may appeal from said rating if you think proper.

CHARLES JONES, Mercantile Appraiser.

Huntingdon, Pa., March 28, 1901.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Lewis Myerley, deceased.

Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to

ISAAC DELL, Administrator.

Latta Grove, Pa., March 28, 1901.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of William Posten, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of William Posten, late of Union township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

H. H. SWOPE, Administrator.

Mapleton Depot, Pa., March 18, 1901. 6t

AUDITORS' REPORT of the financial condition of the Borough of Mapleton for the year ending March, 1901.

Account of John A. Toomey, Collector of Borough Duplicate.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate	$463 09	
" 5 per cent. on $74.69	3 73	
" refunding order	7 19	
CR.		
By exonerations		$ 3 18
" 5 per cent. off $325.89 for prompt payment		16 29
" 3 per cent. for collecting $325.89		9 78
" 5 per cent. for collecting $134.02		6 70
" Treasurer's receipts		438 06
	$474 01	$474 01

Account of A. W. Swope, treasurer.

DR.

To amount from 1899-1900	$148 24	
" amount from Collector	438 06	
" amount from Auditor General	2 82	
CR.		
By vouchers		$534 01
" 2 per cent. as treasurer, $534.01		10 68
" Balance Dr.		44 43
	$589 12	$589 12
Balance in Treasury	$44 43	

STATEMENT

LIABILITIES

Outstanding order	$318 60

ASSETS

Cash in treasury	$44 43
Liabilities in excess of assets	$274 17

We, the undersigned auditors of the Borough of Mapleton, being duly sworn, certify that we have examined the accounts of the Collector and Treasurer of the Borough and the obove is a true and correct copy thereof to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Witness our hands and seals this 26th day of March, A. D., 1901,

A. B. BAKER,
L. L. PARKER,
Auditors.

The Mapleton Item.

Mapleton Depot, Pa., April 17, 1901.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT MARCH 18, 1901.

	P.M.	Night.	A.M	A.M.	A.M.	P.M*
New York....	8.00	12.15	.....	.....	9.25	.....
Philadelphia.	11.20	4.25	7.12	8.40	12.25	4.26
Washington...	10.40	.....	.....	7.50	10.50	.....
Baltimore.....	11.41	4.50	.....	8.40	11.45	.....

	D'ly A.W	D'ly. A. M.	D'ly. A. M.	D'ly. A. M.	D'ly. P. M.	Dly PM.
Harrisburg.....	3.00	8.00	11.48	11.45	3.45	5.00
Rockville	....	8.12	11.59	.....	.....	5.13
Marysville.....	3.14	8.17	12.03	.....	.....	5.18
Duncannon.....	3.29	8.35	12.16	.....	4.10	5.34
Newport	3.52	9.05	12.37	.....	4.30	6.02
Millerstown. ...	....	9.15	12.45	.....	.....	6.11
Thompsontown		9.26	12.53	.....	.....	6.21
Port Royal.....	4.25	9.44	1.07	.....	4. 57	6.38
Mifflin	4.30	9.50	1.11	.....	5.02	6.43
Lewistown Jc.	4.52	10.13	1.30	1.10	5.22	7.07
McVeytown....	5.15	10.38	1.49	.....	.....	7.30
N. Hamilton...	5.33	11.00	2.06	.....	.....	7.50
Mount Union...	5.39	11.06	2.10	.....	6.03	7.56
Mapleton.	5.45	11.13	2.15	.....	.....	8.02
Huntingdon, ...	6.03	11.32	2.29	2.01	6.22	8.20
Petersburg	6 19	11.47	2.43	.....	.....	8.33
Birmingham ...	6.46	12.13	3.07	h234	16.54	8.56
Tyrone.	6.52	12.20	3.12	2.40	6.59	9.02
Bellwood.....	7.17	12.41	3.29	.....	7.18	9.20
Altoona.....	7.40	1.00	3.45	3.10	7.35	9.35
Pittsburg.....	12.10	5.50	8.40	6.55	11.30	1.50
	P.M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P.M

Harrisburg 10.25, Marysville 10.39, Duncannon 10.51, Newport 11.12, Millerstown, f 11.19, Mifflin f 11.44, Lewistown Junction 12.02, p. m., Huntingdon 12.58, Tyrone 1.32, Altoona 2.00, Pittsburg 5.30 a. m.

"h" stops to take on passengers for Pittsburg and beyond.

"r" stops on signal to receive or let off passengers Sundays only.

"l" stops on signal to let off passengers from points east and south of Harrisburg, and to take on passengers for Pittsburg and beyond.

Week days	A.M.	D'ly. A. M.	D'ly. A. M.	Dly PM.	D'ly. P. M.	D'ly P. M.
Pittsburg.....		3.00	8.00		12.45	4.50
Altoona.....	5.00	7.10	11.40	2.05	5.55	9.05
Bellwood.....	5.12	7.25	11.52	2.19	6.10	9.19
Tyrone	5.24	7.43	12.03	2.35	6.27	9.33
Birmingham .	5.28	7.48	g1207	2.40	6.32	x9 38
Petersburg ...	5.45	8.12		3.03	6.56	
Huntingdon....	5.57	8.25	12.35	3.17	7.10	10.12
Mapleton.	6.11	8.42		3.35	7.24	
Mt. Union.....	6.16	8.48	12.54	3.42	7.29	10.32
N. Hamilton ...	6.21	8.53		3.47	7.34	
McVeytown....	6.37	9.10	f1.14	4.08	7.51	
Lewiston Jc....	6.58	9.30	1.33	4.33	8.10	11.16
Mifflin.....	7.18	9.50	1.50	4.55	8.30	11.37
Port Royal.....	7.22	9.54		5.00	8.34	
Thompsontown	7.37	10.09		5.18	8.48	
Millerstown. ...	7.46	10.17		5.28	8.57	
Newport	7.55	10.27	2.24	5.39	9.05	
Duncannon.....	8.20	10.49	2.44	6.08	9.29	
Marysville	8.33	11.02	2.56	6.26	9.43	
Rockville.	8.38	11.07		6.32	9.48	
Harrisburg.....	8.50	11.20	3.10	6.45	10.00	1.00

Pittsburg 3.00, Altoona 625, Tyrone 6.47, Huntingdon 7.17, Lewistown Junction 8.05, Harrisburg 9.30 A. M. daily.

	P.M.	P. M.	P. M.	P.M	P.M.	A.M.	A.M
Balti	12.10	12.10	*3.11	6 00	9.45	2.30	....
Wahg't'n	1.15	1.15	*4.10	7.15	.....	4.05	....
Phila.....	11.48	12.17	*3.17	6.23	10.20	4.25	4.25
New York	2.13	2.53	*5.53	9.30	3.53	7.13	7.13

Additional trains are run as under:—

Leave Pittsburg 8.30 P. M. daily, Altoona 12.15 A. M., Huntingdon 1.10 A. M.; arrive Harrisburg 3.40 A. M., Philadelphia 6.52 A. M.

Leave Pittsburg 7.30 A. M. daily, Altoona 11.05 A. M., Tyrone 11.30 A. M., Huntingdon 12.03 P. M., Lewistown Junction 1.02 p. m., arrive Harrisburg 2.40 p. m., Philadelhia 5.47 p. m., New York 8.08 p. m., Baltimore 6.00 p. m., Washington 7.15 p. m.

*Week-days only. "g" stops to let off passengers from Pittsburg and beyond, and to take on passengers for Harrisburg and beyond.

"f" stops on signal only.

"x" stops to discharge passengers from East Liberty, Pittsburg and beyond.

Connecting trains leave as follows:

At Lewistown Junction.—For Sunbury 7.30 A. M. and 3.10 P. M. week days.

For Milroy 7.40, 11.42 A. M. and 3.00 p. M. week days.

At Huntingdon—For Bedford and Cumberland 8.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M. week days. Bedford only 8.00 A. M. Sundays.

At Tyrone—For Clearfield and Curwensville 8.20 A. M., 3.30 and 7.20 P. M. week days.

For Bellefonte and Lock Haven 8.10 A. M., 12.30 and 7.15 P. M. week days.

For Scotia 7.50 A.M. and 3.15 P.M. week days.

For further information apply to ticket agents, or Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent, Western Division, Corner Fifth Avenue and Smithfield Street, Pittsburg.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, Gen'l Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Pass. Agt.

EAST BROAD TOP RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect November 26, 1900.

NORTH. Irreg., No. 7.	NORTH. P.M.	NORTH. a.m	STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M	SOUTH. p. m.	SOUTH. a. m.
				Mail, No. 2.	Mail, No. 4.	Irreg., No. 6.
p. m.	P.M.	a.m		A. M	p. m.	a. m.
5 00	12 50	6 00	Robertsdale	11 19	6 36	6 50
5 10	1 02	6 12	Cook's	11 04	6 24	6 39
5 22	1 14	6 29	Cole's	10 49	6 12	6 29
5 42	1 42	6 57	Saltillo	10 19	5 42	5 56
5 50	1 50	7 05	Three Springs	10 10	5 21	5 50
6 02	2 03	7 17	*Pogue	9 57	5 07	5 40
6 14	2 18	7 32	Rockhill	9 45	4 44	5 30
	2 35	7 47	Shirley	9 25	4 29	
	2 44	7 57	*Augh. Mills	9 16	4 21	
	3 06	8 20	Mount Union	9 00	4 06	
p. m.	p. m.	a.m		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.

Irregular No. 5 leaves Robertsdale 7.43, Cook's 7.55, Cole's 8.07, Saltillo 8.35, Three Spring 8.43, Pogue 8.55, arrive at Rockhill 9.10 a. m.

Saturday only, No. 7 leaves Robertsdale 3.15, Cook's 3.26, Cole's 3.38, Saltillo 4.02, Three Springs 4.10, Pogue 4.22, arrive at Rockhill 4.35 p. m.

Irregular No. 8 leaves Rockhill 2.20, Pogue 2.32, Three Springs 2.44, Saltillo 2.51, Cole's 3.19, Cook's 3.31, arrive at Robertsdale 3.43 p. m.

Saturday only, Reg. No. 8 leaves Rockhill 1.00, Pogue 1.13, Three Springs 1.25, Saltillo 1.42, Cole's 2.00, Cook's 2.12, arrive at Robertsdale 2.25 p. m.

SHADE GAP BRANCH.

WEST. Irreg., No. 12.	WEST. Mail, No. 10	STATIONS.	EAST Irreg., No. 9	EAST Mail, No. 11
p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.
5 50	7 20	L Rockhill A	6 25	4 55
5 43	7 13	*Blacklog	6 32	5 02
5 35	7 05	*Cedar Rock	6 40	5 10
5 31	7 01	*Locke Vall'y	6 44	5 14
5 25	6 55	*Shade Gap Stair	6 50	5 20
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Mail trains Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 10 and 11 and irregular trains 9 and 12 run daily except Sunday. Irregular trains 5, 6, 7 and 8 do not run daily, but carry passengers when run.

* Flag stations. Beersville changed to Pogue.

A. W. GREENWOOD, Superintendent.

SHADE GAP.

Ellsmer Piper made a business trip to Orbisonia on Friday.

Harvey Price and Clinton Pyles visited friends in Dry Run over Sunday.

Chalsmer Montgomery made a business trip to Huntingdon on Thursday.

Harry Trimer, of Cumberland City, is working under Samuel Miller at the blacksmith trade.

Prof. E. E. Kell opened his school on Monday at this place with about twenty-five pupils enrolled.

Wm. Swan and David Cree, of Mapleton, spent Sunday at their respective homes in this place.

Miles Appleby, of Newton Hamilton, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents in Shade Gap.

S. C. Montgomery attended the sessions of the Huntingdon Presbytery at Hollidaysburg last Wednesday.

Mrs. S. G. Miller and two little girls, Edna and Ruth, spent Friday and Saturday with friends in Mount Union and Shirleysburg.

Miss Sadie Parson and brother Archie spent Sunday with their parents in Shade valley. They were accompanied by their friend Miss Florence Rankin, of Orbisonia.

Stephen Fogal, while on his way home from Shade Gap to Burnt Cabins on Monday, had a run-off. The horse trightened and ran off, throwing Mr. Fogal from the buggy but with no serious results. The horse was caught at Minick's tannery.

Robert Montgomery and Miss Grace Lake were married at Orbisonia last Tuesday. They spent from Tuesday till Friday at Philipsburg, returning home Friday evening. On their arrival at 6.30 o'clock a reception was given them at Mr. S. C. Montgomery's, after which they were serenaded by the Shade Gap band. The band boys were furnishad with an oyster supper. We extend our congratulations to Robert and his new wife.

Job Conldn't Have Stood It

If he'd had Itching Piles. They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For Injuries, Pains or Bodily Eruptions it's the best salve in the world. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. H. Spangler.

MOUNT UNION.

Saturday, April 13th, was pay day on the P. R. R.

Preaching in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath evening.

Charles D. Holes, of Patton, Pa., a very agreeable young gentleman, is assisting our tailor, Charles Ingwers, in getting out his spring sort of work.

It is rumored that the chair factory has been sold by the directors to an individual and operation will be resumed in a few weeks.

The Harbison & Walker Company intends erecting more houses in the vicinity of their works and increase the number to twenty.

Louis Proxmire, who has been suffering from hemorrhages and been ill for some months, has been somewhat improved for the past two weeks and is resting easier.

Ed Weller left for a hospital in Philadelphia last week to seek treatment. Ed has been sick for several months. We hope he will succeed in getting relief.

Alda Davis, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, has been quite ill for more than a month past and has suffered very much. She is now somewhat better.

Miss V. E. M. Dougherty, whose illness has been noted in these columns and who was reported as being better two weeks ago but has since suffered a relapse, is again much improved and we trust on the way to recovery.

Adam Rohrer, whose shoulder was broken by falling from a trestle which he was helping to construct for the C. A. Sims Company in Jack's Narrows some weeks since, is improving and thriving as well as can be expected.

You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some element of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. W. H. Spangler.

Skin troubles, cuts, burns, scalds and chafing quickly heal by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is imitated. Be sure you get DeWitt's. W. H. Spangler.

"Last winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure. I cannot speak too highly of that excellent remedy."—Mr. T. K. Houseman, Manatawney, Pa. W. H. Spangler.

'Tis Easy to Feel Good.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at W. H. Spangler's.

Spring coughs are specially dangerous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but is a high grade remedy. W. H. Spangler.

Sale Register.

Saturday, April 27, 1901, Jere B. Rex, executor, will offer for sale in Mapleton borough the real estate of W. H. Rex, deceased. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock.

THE "ITEM"

$1.00 per Year.

A Choice Line...

Of Majolica Pitchers, fancy and plain Crepe Paper,

TOILET SETS

6-piece, $1.95; 10-piece, $2.75; 12-piece, $4.75.

DINNER SETS

100-piece, $7.95, $8.50, and $12.00.

Yocum's

Fifth Street, Above Postoffice, HUNTING DON, PA.

An Impression

Ought to be made upon consumers when they learn the prices at which I am selling goods. Note a few of them:

Rice, 6 and 8 cents
Tomatoes, 10c., or 3 for 25 cents
Canned corn, 8 and 10 cents
Oyster crackers, ginger snaps, nicnacs and lunch cakes, 8 cents
Prunes, 6 cents
Dates, 6 cents
California peaches, 10 cents
Raisins, 10 cents
Apricots, 12 cents
City lard, 10 cents
Country lard, 12 cents

I keep a full line of Groceries, Tobacco and Cigars, Flour, Feed and Cured Meats.

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS

Men's rubbers, 75 cents
Women's rubbers, 45 cents
Misses' rubbers, 40 cents
Children's rubbers, 30 cents
Prints, 7 and 8 cents
Lancaster ginghams, 7 cents
Muslin, 6 to 10 cents
Cotton crash, 5 and 6 cents
Linen crash, 10 cents
Sateen, 10 to 14 cents

I have received my stock of SHOES and invite you to call and inspect same and learn prices before buying elsewhere.

A share of your patronage is solicited.

Don't forget the place—opposite the Juniata House.

M. P. Truax.

WM. REED & SONS

The May "Designer" (10 Cents) and the May Fashion Sheets Are Now In. If You Want to be a Little Ahead in Styles, Study Them.

There are so many pretty things to tell of we do not know where to begin. You should not take to much time reading advertisements but come to the store often. You'll always find somethiug and at interesting prices, too. Many find this store full of helpful suggestions. Test its abilities if you've never done so.

Dress Suits.

The Dress Skirts we are showing reflect the latest ideas in skirt making. They're just the right flare and style and prices are most tempting.

Pretty, plain and figured all black skirts, $1.00, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 and up to $10 each.

Some good values in gray and brown homespun skirts—are $2.75 to $5.00 each.

Handsome silk skirts are $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00.

Tailored Suits.

Of our tailored suits we cannot speak too highly. We show a most complete line for Ladies, Misses and Children; prices from $5.00 to $25.00. If you want a finer one we will make it for you at any price and guarantee a perfect fit.

Dress Goods and Silks.

The Dress Goods and Silks have scored the greatest successes. We've anything you may want in black or colored dress goods and silks.

The Summer Wash Goods in fancy effects and white are here in greatest profusion. We have never shown a handsomer stock and we think you've never seen a prettier one.

Pretty Lawns are 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c and up to 75 cents.

Dimities are 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c and 25 cents.

Dress Ginghams are 7½c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c and up to 40 cents, and the variety is immense.

The new White and Colored Waists are coming in daily and are fine in style and quality—39 cents to $3.00.

Wm Reed & Sons,

Huntingdon, Pa.

The Best Advertisement

We Can Have Is a Well Satisfied Customer × × × × × ×

WE have many of them—permanent patrons—but we still have room for more. RUNNING IN A RUT means selling old things to people who want new things. We keep from buying "stickers." We are constantly buying NEW GOODS—up-to-date goods. We let careless merchants handle shoddy good—goods people don't want.

We Quote a Few Prices:

Line of Cakes - - -	5c per pound
Finest Rolled Oats - - -	3 lb for 10 cents
Fancy California Prunes - -	5c per pound
Rio Roasted Coffee - -	14c per pound
Corn Starch - - -	3 lb for 10 cents
Canned Goods -	4 cans for 25c and upwards

Hats and Caps, Clothing, Wall Paper, etc. Every line full and prices lowest.

Visit us. Satisfy yourself.

J. G. GILLAM.

I admit of no superiors —and— Acknowledge no equals in

MY MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF NEW STYLES

My store is filled to the uttermost with a choice line of carefully selected bargains in

Ladies', Gents', Misses' & Children's Up-to-date Footwear

All of the prevailing styles in assortment complete, specially purchased to meet the known wants of this community

My Price { are of uniformly low grade never equaled do my talking cannot be copied by would-be competitors makes my business which talks for itself

If you want Superior Goods marvelously cheap, Visit

J. C. HAZLETT, Huntingdon, Pa.

$500 REWARD

We pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation or Costiveness we cannot cure with

Liverita, The Up-to-Date Little Liver Pill

They are purely Vegetable and never fail to give satisfaction. 25c boxes contain 100 Pills, 10c boxes contain 40 Pills, 5c boxes contain 15 Pills. Beware of substitutions and imitations. Sent by mail. Stamps taken. Nervita Medical Co., Corner Clinton and Jackson Sts., Chicago, Illinois. Sold by

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RUSSIA'S NEW TACTICS

Said to Be Anxious to Obtain Japan's Co-operation in the East.

CHINESE REBELLION SPREADING

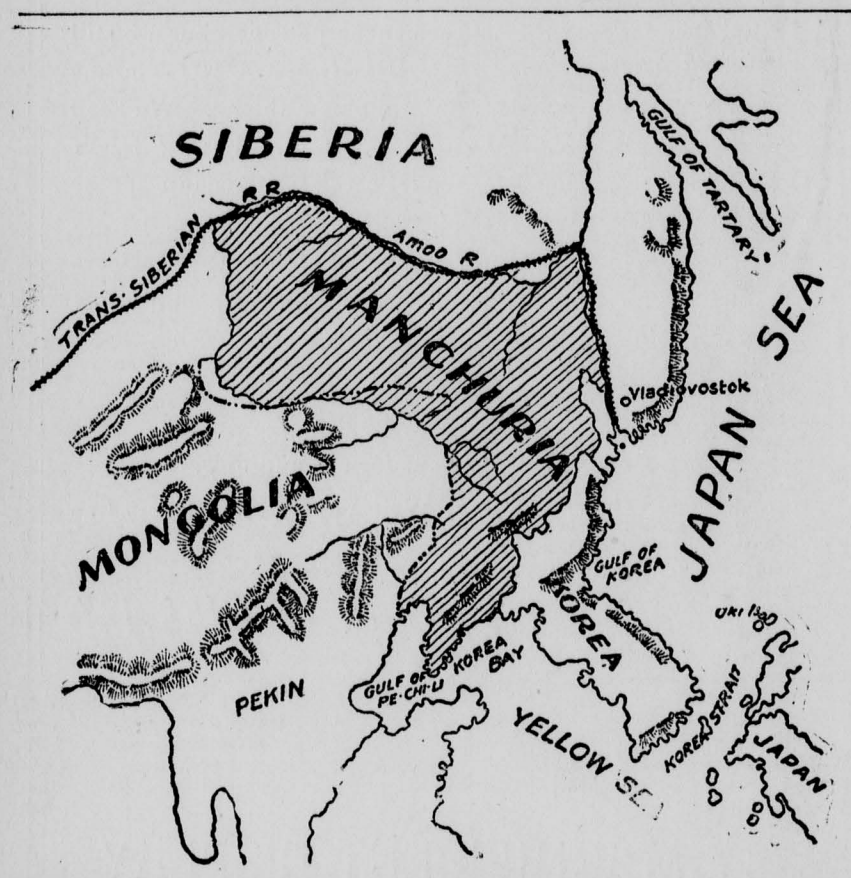
Japan's Dissatisfaction is Not With the Treaty, But With Russia's General Proceedings in Manchuria—The Powers Demanding an Indemnity From China Amounting to $500,000,000.

Pekin, China.—The Russian Minister to China, M. de Giers, responding to the letter from Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang regarding Manchuria, merely refuses to hold further communication with them upon the subject.

London.—"Russia has now changed her tactics," says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Tokio, "and is making desperate efforts to secure not only Japan's neutrality, but her benevolent assistance toward Russia's Far Eastern schemes."

According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, Russia will demand indemnity from China to the amount of $90,000,000.

Yokohama, Japan.—The dissatisfaction of Japan with Russia's action is not in regard to the Manchurian agreement, the leading papers here affirm, but with Russia's action in Manchuria. Hence Japan declines, according to an important section of the press, to consider the abandonment of the agreement as a settlement of the Manchurian question. It is urged that this question should be brought before a conference of the ministers, like the other Chinese questions.



MAP OF THE COUNTRY THE POWERS ARE NEGOTIATING ABOUT.

REBELLION IN CHINA.

Imperial Court Said to Be Alarmed Over the Outbreak.

Pekin, China.—Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching are authority for the statement that the Court is alarmed over the news that a rebellion headed by General Tung Fu Sian has broken out in Mongolia and Shensi. It is stated that the rebel commander has 11,000 trained troops within 150 miles of Sian Fu, the present Chinese capital.

The Mongolian Prince Olaskan, father-in-law of Prince Tuan, proves to be an important factor in the rebellion. He urges the rebellious troops to march on Sian Fu.

Chinese knowing General Tung Fu Sian say the Emperor brought the rebellion upon his own head when he published the edict threatening the General with future punishment.

On account of his present power and influence General Tung Fu Sian would not permit this, and naturally desired to prove that power. He has the entire Mohammedan population with him. Prince Tuan has a large following, while Prince Olaskan controls the entire province of Mongolia.

Reform in China Urged.

Shanghai, China.—The Yangtse Viceroys and Governors have forwarded a memorial to the throne recommending certain reforms. They suggest among other things that the royal princes and students of good family should travel and study in foreign countries; that the entire army be drilled by Western methods; that schools and colleges be extended, and that a standard dollar currency be adopted.

Indemnity Demanded of China.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary Hay presented to the Cabinet information from Envoy Rockhill which shows that the aggregate indemnity demanded of China is about $500,000,000. The State Department believes that any amount over $200,000,000 or $250,000,000, if insisted upon, would inevitably lead to the partition of the Chinese Empire.

TOM JOHNSON A HUSTLER

Gets a Lively Move On and Stirs Up Cleveland, Ohio.

New Mayor Overhauling Tax Valuation of Every Piece of Realty in Town—Talks to Council.

Cleveland, Ohio. — Tom Johnson's pre-election promise that he would be an active, not an honorary Mayor, bids fair of fulfilment, and Tuesday saw the beginning of his activity. The first thing he did was to set Peter Witt, a local tax reformer, to work with a force of 100 clerks and nearly 1000 maps to make a tax valuation of every piece of land in Cleveland. Johnson proposes a complete readjustment of taxation here.

Then the Mayor started out in earnest to tear down all old and shaky buildings in the city. He also says no more frame buildings shall be erected in the fire limits. He sent a Fire Department truck with a building inspector to 121 Erie street, where a frame structure owned by County Examiner Black had just been completed. This was torn down, the tearing down process beginning before the occupants had taken their belongings out. Another building on Vermont street was torn down. Notices to tear down their buildings were served on hundreds of land owners. If at the expiration of twenty-four hours the buildings were not removed the Fire Department had orders to pull them down.

All the enormous signboards on vacant lots, signs that are eyesores, are being removed by the order of the Mayor. Another Johnson order calls for the removal of all barns now inside of the fire limits.

The Mayor acted as his own bouncer, putting a drunken caller out of his office, using physical force. Mayor Johnson was lionized at a meeting of the Council. He outlined a few instructions for the Council. The Mayor called attention to his communication vetoing several ordinances because of their slovenly appearance, and declared that he would take the same action on all city documents that came before him in such shape.

Incident to the day of the Mayor's activity was the renewed announcement that the citizens' squad of policemen would hereafter cease sneaking around saloon side doors for evidence.

"The laws of this city shall be enforced," said the Mayor, "without resorting to sneaking."

GOLD STOLEN ON LINER.

Three Bars, Worth $60,000, Missing From the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

Cherbourg, France.—On the arrival here of the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Captain Engelbart, from New York City, it was announced that three gold bars, worth $20,000 each had been stolen in the course of the voyage.

All the baggage landed here was examined with the utmost care by the customs officials and detectives, but the gold was not discovered. One hundred and fifty passengers landed for Paris, and several detectives traveled in the special train with them.

ARRESTED FOR ILLEGAL VOTING.

First Woman to Be Charged With Election Frauds.

Denver, Col.—Denver has the distinction of having the first woman to be arrested for fraud in politics. On information sworn to in the District Attorney's office by Sidney C. Rundle, a warrant was issued for the arrest of Mrs. M. A. Ratcliffe. She is charged with voting "unlawfully, knowingly, wilfully, fasely and corruptly in the wrong precinct."

Mrs. Ratcliffe got out and hustled for the Democratic party in the last campaign. She is thirty-six years of age, good looking, dresses well, and is regarded as a valuable party worker.

Battleship Kentucky at Cavite.

The battleship Kentucky has arrived at Cavite, P. I.

THE NEWS EPITOMIZED

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

President McKinley appointed Colonel Wallace F. Randolph chief of the Artillery Corps of the army.

Negotiations are in progress for a new Isthmian canal treaty between the United States and Great Britain.

A statue of General John A. Logan was unveiled, addresses being made by President McKinley and Senator Depew.

The Spanish War Claims Commission held its first meeting and adopted rules of procedure.

Charles R. Flint testified before the Industrial Commission in regard to the effect of great combinations of capital.

The battleship Wisconsin will not be sent to the Philippines to replace the Oregon, as was contemplated.

Officials of the Agricultural Department are taking pains to prevent the introduction of the foot and mouth disease into this country.

Secretary Long ordered the establishment in Newport, R. I., of a school for enlisted men of the navy.

OUR ADOPTED ISLANDS.

The natives in Samoa under the United States Government number 5800 according to a census just taken.

All the Provinces of Panay Island, P. I., are being organized under civil government.

Agriculturally, Porto Rico has entirely recovered from the effects of the cyclone of nearly two years ago.

Emilio Aguinaldo, at Manila, P. I., has signed the peace manifesto drafted by Justice Arellano.

The Havana newspaper La Discusion was suppressed by Governor-General Wood for caricaturing President McKinley, General Wood and Senator O. H. Platt.

A dead letter office was ordered for Honolulu, Hawaii.

The Manila street railway was purchased by a company, and will be converted into an electric line.

General Areola, a colonel, twenty-nine other officers and 800 men surrendered their arms at Nueva Caceres P. I.

DOMESTIC.

The Minnesota Legislature passed the bill prohibiting the marriage of imbeciles, the insane and epileptics.

Will Black and Henry Wilson, negroes, who murdered Ivy Wilson a year ago, were hanged at Magnolia, Ark.

When he saw his sweetheart driving with another man, Jack Dodd, a young white man, dropped dead near Birmingham, Ala.

Four steamers from European ports arrived at New York City with an aggregate of 4178 immigrants.

The Connecticut Legislature rejected a bill making eight hours a day's work.

The Minnesota Legislature instructs the Attorney-General to investigate proposed consolidation of railroads.

New York City officially thanked Andrew Carnegie for his $5,200,000 library donation.

Burglars who attempted to rob the private bank of S. W. Clark, at Spencer, Ohio, were frightened away before securing any money.

J. P. Morgan & Co., announces the formation of a powerful corporation composed of dry goods jobbing houses and department stores at New York City, and capitalized at $20,000,000.

With death by electrocution or tuberculosis close at hand, a respite was given Luigi Storti, condemned murderer, at Boston, Mass.

After being pardoned, Frank Coles, a burglar in jail at Richmond, Va., declared he would be a missionary.

A 70,000 barrel oil property in the new Texas field sold for $1,250,000.

Students at Harvard University are not opposed to hazing by the secret societies.

Major W. H. Martin, a defaulting clerk of the North Carolina Treasury, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

A resolution for a constitutional amendment legalizing the use of voting machines was lost in the Wisconsin Senate.

Governor White, of West Virginia, pardoned Elias Hatfield, Jr., a member of the Hatfield faction, who had served twelve years for killing "Doc" Ellis in Wingo County.

John Zollinger, an old and eccentric recluse, who had hoarded $4000, blew out his brains at New York City.

The headless body of a man was found near Ferrisburg, Vt., and the identity is a mystery.

FOREIGN.

The British Indian regiments in China are to return to Calcutta.

President Castro, of Venezuela, formed a Cabinet, on obtaining legal sanction for his dictatorship.

The Russian student demonstrations have spread to Siberia.

Le Siecle, leading Dreyfusite organ, suspended at Paris, France.

Brigands have destroyed three towns in Thibet.

M. Zinovieff, Russian Ambassador, at Constantinople, made representations to the Turkish Government on the supineness of the Porte in allowing British aggression in Southern Arabia.

Emperor William unveiled an equestrian statue of his grandfather, Kaiser Wilhelm I., at Potsdam, Germany.

A huge mass of snow and rock swept down from the mountain near Adelaide, Col., burying a work-train and killing three men and seriously injuring four others. The men were clearing the debris of an earlier slide.

LABOR WORLD.

Velvet mill workers at Mystic, Conn., have won their strike.

The Brazil soft coal district, in Indiana, will be indefinitely tied up by a strike.

In Italy children of either sex under nine years of age are not permitted to work in factories.

Wages of puddlers at the rolling mill at York, Penn., have been advanced twenty-five cents a ton.

Fifty thousand citizens of Indiana are employed in wood industries, and receive annually $15,000,000 in wages.

The coal workers at Marseilles, France, decided to resume work, and the prolonged strike is finally at an end.

Five hundred carpenters and painters at Sharon, Penn., struck, causing a general suspension of building operations.

Two hundred and thirty-two thousand eight hundred and twenty-one women are employed in English cotton factories; only 147,245 men.

Four hundred coal miners who have been on strike at Blossburg, Ala., on account of a difference regarding the charges for yardage work, have returned to work

Over 550 union painters and decorators at Cincinnati, Ohio, struck because of the refusal of the Masters' Association to sign the scale demanding $2.80 for an eight-hour day.

The refusal of bosses to grant an increase of two and one-half cents per hour and that eight hours should constitute a day's work has caused a strike of 100 painters and decorators at Auburn, N. Y.

The Northern Pacific and Great Northern companies have placed orders in the East for 2000 Italian laborers to do construction work in Washington and adjoining States this summer. They will take the place of Oriental laborers. It is the largest order ever sent from the West for white labor.

SPORTING BREVITIES.

William C. Whitney announces that Ballyhoo Bey's wind is affected.

A trotting match has been arranged between the Abbot and Boralma.

The Shamrock II. will have the largest mainsail ever carried by a racing yacht.

The Toledo Golf Club has taken the initiative toward organizing a rival association in opposition to the United States Golf Association.

Never before has the Irvington-Milburn (N. J.) road race course been in as grand shape as at present. It is predicted that records will be lowered in the great race of May 30.

The majority of college teams are against any change in the baseball playing rules, and will probably follow the lead of the American League in using the old regulations.

For middle-aged persons who find the vibrations of a pneumatic tired wheel objectionable a new style of cushion tire has been devised and is meeting with distinct approval.

The styles in bicycles for this season have not changed particularly, and the styles in bicycle costumes will also stand, so that last year's outfits will not be at all behind the times.

Eight American yachts anxious for the privilege of defending Canada's cup, now held by the Chicago Yacht Club, are in sight. The Canadians up to date have uncovered only two challengers.

Odds on the teams in the race for the National League baseball pennant are Brooklyn, 2 to 1; Pittsburg, 2 to 1; Boston, 4 to 1; Philadelphia, 6 to 1; St. Louis, 10 to 1; Chicago, 15 to 1; Cincinnati, 30 to 1; New York, write your own ticket.

The revival of interest in lawn tennis which was noticeable last summer after half a dozen seasons of partial neglect bids fair to take on new life this summer, judging from the extensive preparations that the clubs in New York City are making.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Sir George Murray Smith, the well-known London publisher, is dead.

Andrew Carnegie has been re-elected to the General Committee of the American Society.

It is to be recognized that General Cassius M. Clay at ninety-two is just as young as he shoots.

King Edward VII. has purchased a French motor phaeton capable of making fifty miles an hour.

Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist, has just passed successfully through the grip and his seventy-fourth birthday.

Senator Bailey, of Texas, has declared for Carter Harrison for Democratic candidate for Vice-President in 1904.

Quartermaster-General Ludington has resumed his duties at the War Department in Washington after two weeks in Cuba.

It is said that the railroad president with the largest salary is Charles M. Hays, of the Southern Pacific, who receives $55,000 a year.

Grand Duke Michael, the heir-apparent to the Russian throne, will soon begin a tour of the Empire to study administration methods.

Philander C. Knox, the Attorney-General, was, in his youth, expelled from the West Virginia University for attending a performance of "East Lynne." "It served me right," Mr. Knox is quoted as saying.

Major Cardew, R. E., electrical adviser to the British Board of Trade, told the London Society of Arts the other evening that "there is not the slightest doubt that electric trains can be safely run at a speed of 120 miles an hour, but the expense would be so great that it is doubtful whether such trains would be profitable."

THE MARKETS.

Late Wholesale Prices of Country Produce Quoted in New York.

MILK.			
The Milk Exchange price for standard quality is 2½c. per quart.			
BUTTER.			
Creamery—West, extra	$ —	@$	22
Firsts	21½	@	21¾
Seconds	19	@	20½
State dairy tubs, extra	—	@	21
Imitation creamery	14	@	18½
Factory finest	13½	@	13¾
Low grades	11	@	12½
CHEESE.			
State—Full cream, fancy	11	@	11¼
Small	12	@	12¼
Part skims, good to prime	6	@	7
Full skims	1½	@	2
EGGS.			
Jersey—Fancy	14	@	15½
State and Penn	14	@	15½
Western—Choice	14	@	14½
Southern—Choice	13	@	13½
Duck eggs	17	@	20
Goose eggs	30	@	35
BEANS AND PEAS.			
Beans—Marrow, choice, 1900	2 40	@	2 45
Medium	2 00	@	2 05
Pea, choice	—	@	2 10
Red kidney, choice	2 10	@	2 12½
White kidney, choice	2 30	@	2 35
Yellow eye	2 50	@	2 55
Lima, Cal	—	@	4 10
Green peas, bags	—	@	1 17½
FRUITS AND BERRIES—FRESH.			
Apples, Ben Davis, per bbl	2 50	@	3 50
Baldwin, per bbl	2 50	@	3 25
Greening, per bbl	2 50	@	5 00
Strawberries, Fla., per qt	20	@	35
Cranberries, per bbl	6 00	@	9 00
LIVE POULTRY.			
Fowls, per lb	10	@	10½
Chickens, per lb	—	@	9
Roosters, per lb	—	@	6
Turkeys, per lb	—	@	9
Ducks, per pair	50	@	80
Geese, per pair	75	@	1 12
Pigeons, per pair	35	@	40
DRESSED POULTRY.			
Turkeys, per lb	8	@	10½
Capons, per lb	10	@	15
Fowls, State & Penn., per lb	10	@	10½
Chickens, Phila., per lb	11	@	17
Ducks, per lb	12	@	13
Geese, per lb	9½	@	10
Squabs, per dozen	1 50	@	2 50
HOPS.			
State—1900, choice, per lb	19	@	21
1899, prime	12	@	14
Pacific coast—1900, choice	18	@	19
1899, prime	11½	@	13
Old odds	2	@	5
HAY AND STRAW.			
Hay—Prime, per 100 lb	92½	@	95
No. 1, per 100 lb	87½	@	90
No. 2, per 100 lb	82½	@	85
Clover mixed, per 100 lb	72½	@	75
Straw, long rye	82½	@	87½
VEGETABLES.			
Potatoes, West., per bbl	1 50	@	1 62
State, per sack	1 25	@	1 50
Sweets, per bbl	1 50	@	2 50
Onions—Orange Co., per bag	3 00	@	3 75
L. I., red, per bbl	3 00	@	3 75
L. I., white, per bbl	3 00	@	5 00
Cabbages, per bbl	1 25	@	2 00
Turnips, per bbl	80	@	90
Tomatoes, per carrier	1 50	@	3 50
String beans, per crate	1 00	@	5 00
Egg plant, per box	2 00	@	4 00
Peppers, per carrier	1 00	@	2 00
Celery, per dozen	15	@	90
Lettuce, per basket	1 25	@	2 00
Beets, per crate	75	@	1 00
Spinach, per bbl	20	@	65
Squash, marrow, bbl	1 00	@	1 25
Peas, per basket	1 00	@	4 00
Kale, per bbl	20	@	50
Carrots, per 100 bunches	2 00	@	4 00
Cauliflower, per basket	2 00	@	3 00
Parsley, per 100 bunches	2 50	@	3 50
GRAIN, ETC.			
Flour—Winter patents	3 60	@	4 00
Spring patents	3 90	@	4 20
Wheat—No. 1 N. Duluth	—	@	85½
No. 2 red	—	@	78
Corn—No. 2	47½	@	49⅞
Oats—No. 2 white	—	@	32¼
Track, mixed	30	@	31½
Rye—Western	60½	@	61
State	56	@	57
Lard, city	—	@	8.25c.
LIVE STOCK.			
Beeves, city dressed	7	@	8½
Calves, city dressed	7	@	10
Country dressed	5½	@	9
Sheep, per 100 lb	4 00	@	4 70
Lambs, per 100 lb	5 80	@	6 30
Hogs, live, per 100 lb	6 25	@	6 40
Country dressed	5½	@	8½

TOBACCO.

There is a little more activity discernible in Havana tobacco, and dealers expect a busy season. Sumatra tobacco is still quiet. In domestic cigar leaf there is little doing, except routine business. Western tobacco is dull, but prices are very firm.

EVEN COURSE OF BUSINESS.

Amazing Stock Market Performances Have Not Influenced It.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "While the general business world has looked with amazement at the performance of the stock market, trade has maintained its even course, and there are many more points of gain than of loss, with even a slightly steadier tone in the dry goods market. There some sellers have withdrawn offers at recent low prices, though buying is small as yet. Collections in all lines are unusually prompt."

Bradstreet's says: "A speculative activity, seeking expression in the markets for securities, cereals, raw cotton and some hog products, has rather tended to obscure interest in general distributive trade, which has, however, been temporarily disturbed in retail lines at least by widespread unfavorable weather conditions."

CUBAN IRON MINES BOUGHT.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company Secures an Important Supply.

New York City.—To fortify its position against the United States Steel Corporation the Pennsylvania Steel Company has purchased the entire $5,000,000 worth of stock of the Spanish-American Iron Company for a sum between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000.

The Spanish-American Iron Company, of which Charles F. Rand is president, has since 1895 been shipping ores to this country from Cuba, mining about 325,000 tons a year. The Pennsylvania Steel Company, which uses about 1,000,000 tons a year, has been taking practically all the Spanish-American concern's product.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON

SUNDAY'S DISCOURSE BY THE NOTED DIVINE.

Subject: Religion as an Exhilaration — Christianity is Uplifting and Dispels Melancholia and Gloom—Fate of Young Men Who Go in For Sinful Amusements

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage sets forth religion as an exhilaration, and urges all people to try its uplifting power; text, Proverbs iii, 17, "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

You have all heard of God's only begotten Son. Have you heard of God's daughter? She was born in heaven. She came down over the hills of our world. She had queenly step. On her brow was celestial radiance. Her voice was music. Her name is religion. My text introduces her. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace." But what is religion? The fact is that theological study has had a different effect upon me from the effect sometimes produced. Every year I tear out another leaf from my theology until I have only three or four leaves left—in other words, a very brief and plain statement of Christian belief.

An aged Christian minister said: "When I was a young man, I knew everything; when I got to be thirty-five years of age, in my creed I had only a hundred doctrines of religion; when I got to be forty years of age I had only fifty doctrines of religion; when I got to be sixty years of age I had only ten doctrines of religion, and now I am dying at seventy-five years of age, and there is only thing I know, and that is that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." And so I have noticed in the study of God's word, and in my contemplation of the character of God and of the eternal world, that it is necessary for me to drop this part of my belief and that part of my belief as being nonessential, while I cling to the one great doctrine that man is a sinner, and Christ is his Almighty, and divine Saviour.

Now, I take these three or four leaves of my theology, and I find that, in the first place and dominant above all others, is the sunshine of religion. When I go into a room I have a passion for throwing open all the shutters. That is what I want to do this morning. We are apt to throw so much of the sepulchral into our religion and to close the shutters and to pull down the blinds that is is only through here and there a crevice that the light streams. The religion of the Lord Jesus Christ is a religion of joy indescribable and unutterable. Wherever I can find a bell I mean to ring it.

If there are any in this house this morning who are disposed to hold on to their melancholy and gloom, let them now depart this service before the fairest and brightest and the most radiant being of all the universe comes in. God's Son has left our world, but God's daughter is here. Give her room! Hail, Princess of Heaven! Hail, daughter of the Lord God Almighty! Come in and make this house thy throne-room!

In setting forth this idea, the dominant theory of religion is one of sunshine, I hardly know where to begin, for there are so many thoughts that rush upon my soul. A mother saw her little child seated on the floor in the sunshine and with a spoon in her hand. She said, "My darling, what are you doing there?" "Oh," replied the child, "I am getting a spoonful of this sunshine." Would God that to-day I might present you with a gleaming chalice of this glorious, everlasting gospel sunshine!

First of all, I find a great deal of sunshine in Christian society. I do not know of anything more doleful than the companionship of the mere funmakers of the world—the Thomas Hoods, the Charles Lambs, the Charles Mathewses of the world—the men whose entire business it is to make sport.

They make others laugh, but if you will examine their autobiography or biography you will find that down in their soul there was a terrific disquietude. Laughter is no sign of happiness. The maniac laughs. The hyena laughs. The loon among the Adirondacks laughs. The drunkard, dashing his decanter against the wall, laughs.

There is a terrible reaction from all sinful amusement and sinful merriment. Such men are cross the next day. They snap at you on exchange or they pass you, not recognizing you. Long ago I quit mere worldly society for the reason it was so dull, so inane and so stupid. My nature is voracious of joy. I must have it.

I always walk on the sunny side of the street, and for that reason I have crossed over into Christian society. I like their mode of repartee better. I like their style of amusement better. They live longer. Christian people, I sometimes notice, live on when by all natural law they ought to have died. I have known persons who have continued in their existence when the doctor said they ought to have been dead ten years. Every day of their existence was a defiance of the laws of anatomy and physiology, but they had this supernatural vivacity of the gospel in their soul, and that kept them alive.

Put ten or twelve Christian people in a room for Christian conversation, and you will from eight to ten o'clock hear more resounding glee, see more bright strokes of wit and find more thought and profound satisfaction than in any merely worldly party. Now, when I say a "worldly party," I mean that to which you are invited because under all the circumstances of the case it is better that you go, and, leaving the shawls on the second floor, you go to the parlor to give formal salutation to the host and the hostess and then move around, spending the whole evening in the discussion of the weather and in apology for treading on long trains and in effort to keep the corners of the mouth up to the sign of pleasure and going around with an idiotic he-he about nothing until the collation is served and then, after the collation is served, going back again into the parlor to resume the weather and then at the close going at a very late hour to the host and hostess and assuring them that you have had a most delightful evening and then passing down off the front steps, the slam of the door the only satisfaction of the evening.

O young man come from the country to spend your days in city life, where are you going to spend your evenings? Let me tell you, while there are many places of innocent worldly amusement, it is most wise for you to throw your body, mind and soul into Christian society. Come to me at the close of five years and tell me what has been the result of this advice. Bring with you the young man who refused to take the advice, and who went into sinful amusement. He will come dissipated, shabby in apparel, indisposed to look any one in the eyes, moral character eighty-five per cent. off. You will come with principle settled, countenance frank, habits good, soul saved, and all the inhabitants of heaven, from the lowest angel up to the archangel and clear past him to the Lord God Almighty, your coadjutors.

This is not the advice of a misanthrope. There is no man in the house to whom the world is brighter than it is to me. It is not the advice of a dyspeptic—my digestion is perfect; it is not the advice of a man who cannot understand a joke or who prefers a funeral; it is not the advice of a worn-out man, but the advice of a man who can see this world in all its brightness, and considering myself competent in judging what is good cheer I tell the multitudes of young men that there is nothing in worldly associations so grand and so beautiful and so exhilarant as in Christian society.

I know there is a great deal of talk about the self denials of the Christian. I have to tell you that where the Christian has one self denial the man of the world has a thousand self denials. The Christian is not commanded to surrender anything that is worth keeping. But what does a man deny himself who denies himself the religion of Christ! He denies himself pardon for sin; he denies himself peace of conscience; he denies himself the joy of the Holy Ghost; he denies himself a comfortable death pillow; he denies himself the glories of heaven. Do not talk to me about the self denials of the Christian life. Where there is one in the Christian life there are a thousand in the life of the world. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

Again, I find a great deal of religious sunshine in Christian and divine explanation. To a great many people life is an inexplicable tangle. Things turn out differently from what was supposed. There is a useless woman in perfect health. There is an industrious and consecrated woman a complete invalid. Explain that. There is a bad man with $30,000 of income. There is a good man with $800 of income. Why is that? There is a foe of society who lives on, doing all the damage he can, to seventy-five years of age, and here is a Christian father, faithful in every department of life, at thirty-five years of age taken away by death, his family left helpless. Explain that. Oh, there is no sentence that oftener drops from your lips than this: "I cannot understand it; I cannot understand it."

Well, now religion comes in just at that point with its illumination and its explanation. There is a business man who has lost his entire fortune. The week before he lost his fortune there were twenty carriages that stopped at the door of his mansion. The week after he lost his fortune all the carriages you could count on one finger. The week before financial trouble began people all took off their hats to him as he passed down the street. The week his financial prospects were under discussion people just touched their hats without anywise bending the rim. The week that he was pronounced insolvent people just jolted their heads as they passed, not tipping their hats at all, and the week the sheriff sold him out all his friends were looking in the store windows as they went down past him.

Now, while the world goes away from a man while he is in financial distress, the religion of Christ comes to him and says: "You are sick, and your sickness is to be moral purification. You are bereaved. God wanted in some way to take your family to heaven, and He must begin somewhere, and so He took the one that was most beautiful and was ready to go." I do not say that religion explains everything in this life, but I do say it lays down certain principles which are grandly consolatory. You know business men often telegraph in cipher. The merchant in San Francisco telegraphs to the merchant in New York certain information in cipher which no other man in that line of business can understand, but the merchant in San Francisco has the key to the cipher, and the merchant in New York has the key to the cipher, and on that information transmitted there are enterprises involving hundreds of thousands of dollars. Now, the providences of life sometimes seem to be senseless rigmarole, a mysterious cipher, but God has a key to that cipher, and the Christian a key to that cipher, and though he may hardly be able to spell out the meaning he gets enough of the meaning to understand that it is for the best.

Oh, what an observatory in which to study astronomy heaven will be, not by power of telescope, but by supernatural vision, and, if there be something doubtful 10,000,000 miles away, by one stroke of the wing you are there, by another stroke of the wing you are back again, and all in less time than I tell you, catching it all in one flash of eternity.

And geology! What a place that will be to study geology when the world is being picked to pieces as easily as a schoolgirl in botanical lessons pulls the leaf from the corolla! What a place to study architecture, amid the thrones and the palaces and the cathedrals—St. Mark's and St. Paul's rookeries in comparison.

Sometimes you wish you could make the tour of the whole earth, going around as others have gone, but you have not the time, you have not the means. You will make the tour yet during one musical pause in the eternal anthem. I say these things for the comfort of those people who are abridged in their opportunities—those people to whom life is humdrum, who toil and work and toil and work and aspire after knowledge, but have no time to get it and say, "If I had the opportunities which other people have, how I would fill my mind and soul with great thoughts!" Be not discouraged, my friends. You are going to the university yet. Death will only matriculate you into the royal college of the universe.

What a sublime thing it was that Dr. Thornwell, of South Carolina, uttered in his last dying moments! As he looked up he said, "It opens; it expands, it expands." Or as Mr. Toplady, the author of "Rock of Ages," in his last moment or during his last hours looked up and said, as though he saw something supernatural, "Light!" and then as he came on nearer the dying moment, his countenance more luminous, he cried, "Light!" and at the very moment of his departure lifted both hands, something supernatural in his countenance as he cried "Light!" Only another name for sunshine.

And then I stand at the gate of the celestial city to see the processions come out, and I see a long procession of little children with their arms full of flowers, and then I see a procession of kings and priests moving in celestial pageantry—a long procession, but no black tasseled vehicle, no mourning group—and I say: "How strange it is! Where is your Greenwood? Where is your Laurel Hill? Where is your Westminster Abbey?" And they shall cry, "There are no graves here." And then listen for the tolling of the old bellfries of heaven, the old belfries of eternity. I listen to hear them toll for the dead, but they toll not for the dead. They only strike up a silvery chime, tower to tower, east gate to west gate, as they ring out, "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more, neither shall the sun light on them nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

THE SABBATH SCHOOL

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS FOR APRIL 21.

Subject: The Walk to Emmaus, Luke xxiv., 13-35—Golden Text, Luke xxiv., 32—Memory Verses, 25-27—Commentary on the Day's Lesson.

13. "Two of them." In verse 33 it is implied that they were not apostles. One was Cleopas, of whom we know nothing; the other is unknown. "Emmaus." The word means "hot springs," and was probably a place where there were hot springs. "Threescore furlongs." About seven and one-half miles. The site of the city is somewhat uncertain.

14. "They talked together." Their conversation naturally turned on the all-absorbing question of the hour—the crucifixion of Jesus and the reports which they had heard of His resurrection.

15. "Communed together." Probably consulted together what to expect, or to do, in such perplexing circumstances. They exchanged views and feelings, and weighed the facts before them concerning the probability of Christ being the Messiah. "Drew near." Coming up behind them as from Jerusalem.

16. "Eyes were holden." Purposely assuming a different form than usual, and supernaturally influencing their sight that they might not know Him. See Mark 16: 12.

17. "Said unto them." As a good teacher, in order to be heard, He begins by getting them to speak first. "What—communications." What is the nature of your talk which so absorbs you? By this question Jesus introduces Himself into the conversation. "As ye walk and are sad." Thus Jesus leads them to open their hearts to Him. He would have them relate to Him what He already knows.

18. "A stranger." If He knew not the events that had been so public, so awful, and so universally known, He must be a mere sojourner; if He did, how could He suppose they would be talking about anything else? Cleopas appears astonished at His question.

19. "What things?" He evades an answer by another question. He wants to hear from their own lips their exact feelings. "Concerning Jesus of Nazareth." As He was commonly called. They are full of things concerning Him, and give a summary of Christ's life. Now the stream of their lamentations are over their disappointed expectations break loose. "A prophet." He preached a true and excellent doctrine, which had its rise from, and its tendency toward, heaven; He confirmed it by many glorious miracles of mercy. "Mighty." However the death of Jesus may have made them waver in their faith about His being the Messiah, they had no doubt that He was a prophet, for they knew what He had done, and they had heard His teachings. "Deed and word." There is but little use of our undertaking to speak for Christ unless godly actions precede our words.

20. "Crucified Him." Our rulers treated Him as a malefactor and not as a prophet, and have crucified Him. They speak carefully with regard to their rulers, because they are speaking to a supposed stranger.

21. "But we hoped" (R. V.) Here is an intimation of their disappointment as a reason of their sadness. V. 17. "Redeemed Israel." They had confidently believed Him to be the promised Messiah, who had so long been predicted and was then expected. "The third day." Referring either to the length of time as tending to extinguish hope, or to the promise of Jesus that He would rise on the third day, and hence the reports may be true and there is hope.

22-24. "Amazed us" (R. V.) The original verb means "to drive out of his senses." In these verses we have a brief review of our last two lessons. Cleopas also speaks of his doubts, since only the women had seen Him.

25. "Said unto them." They had spoken, now He would speak. They had poured out their grief and opened their hearts, now was His time to fill them with new things, and first by way of rebuke. "O fools." The word is equivalent to dull of perception, and refers to their understanding. "Slow of heart." If they had embraced the living God with more fervent faith, the fact of the resurrection would not have been so strange to their hopes. "To believe all." The emphasis should be placed on "all." They believed many things that the prophets had spoken, but some things which seemed unpleasant to them they failed to notice.

26. "Ought not," etc. Were not these things a necessary mark of the Messiah, without which the world could not have been saved and the Messiah's kingdom established?

27. "Beginning at Moses." The promise to Eve (Gen. 3: 15); to Abraham (Gen. 22: 18); the paschal lamb (Ex. 12); the scapegoat (Lev. 16: 1-34); the brazen serpent (Num. 21: 9); the greater prophet (Deut. 18: 15); the star and scepter (Num. 24: 17); the smitten rock. Num. 20: 11; 1 Cor. 10; 4. "The prophets." Isa. 7: 14; 9: 6, 7; 40: 10, 11; 50: 6; 53: 4, 5; Jer. 23: 5; 33: 14, 15; Ezek. 34: 23; Mic. 5: 2; Zech. 6: 12; 9: 9; 12: 10; 13: 7; Mal. 3: 1; 4: 2. "Expounded." No wonder their hearts burned within them while hearing such a sermon from such a preacher. We may naturally suppose that our Lord explained and applied to Himself these prophecies.

28. "Made as though." He would have really gone on but for that sort of constraint which they exercised over Him.

29. "Abide with us," etc. But for this the whole design of the interview had been lost; but it was not to be lost, for He, who only wished to be constrained, had kindled a longing in the hearts of His traveling companions which was not to be so easily put off.

30. "He took bread," etc. This was a common meal, but Jesus acted as Master, as He was accustomed to do, and this startled them and brought back a rush of associations.

31. "Opened." Whatever had hitherto held their eyes was taken away. "Vanished." Like one of supernatural power, not like an ordinary guest.

32. "Burn within us." This accounted for the glow of light, love and glory that ravished their hearts.

33. "Rose—and returned." After Jesus left them they immediately hastened back to Jerusalem to report the wonderful interview to the other disciples.

34. "Hath appeared to Simon." "These two disciples found the apostles and those who were with them testifying that Christ had risen from the dead." It was not the two disciples, but the apostles who said the Lord hath appeared to Simon.

35. "They told." This added testimony would, seemingly, leave no doubt on the minds of any.

Strengthening the British Navy.

The total number of officers, seamen, boys, coastguards and royal marines proposed for the English Navy this year is 118,635, an increase of 3475 over the total in 1900.

STATE NEWS BUDGET.

End of the Pennsylvania Canal.

The stockholders of the Pennsylvania Canal, a portion of the State's system of interior waterways, and an important factor in early transportation days, by an unanimous vote has decided to abandon it. This action ratifies a resolution adopted by the Directors authorizing the President, General Isaac Wistar, to dispose of the property of the company. The part of the canal affected by this move extends from Columbia to Nanticoke, a distance of 144 miles, and from Northumberland to Loyalsock, about thirty miles, and was constructed by the State, under an act of the Legislature, approved by Governor Shulzer in 1826 In June, 1857, the canal and railroad, forming the main line from Philadelphia to Pittsburg, were sold to the Pennsylvania Road for $7,500,000. The branch lines were sold in May, 1859, for $3,781,250. In 1866 the Pennsylvania Canal Company was organized, and the entire main line and branches of the canal were merged into the new company. The Pennsylvania Canal Company will be kept intact until the six per cent. mortgage bonds of the company mature, in 1910. Of these, some $2,000,000 of an original issue of $3,000,000 in 1870 are outstanding, and the Pennsylvania Road guarantees the payment of interest.

Heir of Mother He Murdered.

Samuel Gulick, the aged father of Murderer John Gulick, at Sunbury, filed the will of his late wife, whom the son so cruelly murdered, together with his brother Philip. If jealousy of the latter had been the motive for the assassin's crime, the will shows that he was laboring under a false notion. The mother had divided her property, valued at $6000, equally among the nine children, with the exception of Mrs. John Bowers, of Danville, who received $1. Gulick will be tried at the May term of court, and the defense will doubtless be insanity. Samuel Gulick, who is seventy-three years old, will be the chief witness against his son. The former was the only person to see his son commit the murders.

Roads Paved With Gold Rock.

Thompson Township, Fulton County, is said to have the most valuable roads in the United States. The roads have been macadamized with tons and tons of mineral rock, and nearly the whole country is ablaze with excitement over the discovery that some of this rock assays $4.60 to the ton in gold and silver. Joseph H. Covalt says he picked up at random on the roads a lot of specimens and sent them to an assayer, whose report showed from $1.75 to $4.60 per ton in gold. Thousands of acres of land in the township have been leased by capitalists, who hope to find gold mines.

Amos Martin 104 Years Old.

Amos Martin, of Sharon, has just celebrated his one hundred and fourth birthday anniversary. He was born in Scotland in 1797 and was twice married. His second wife was Mrs. Elizabeth McClain, to whom he was married four years ago. She died six months ago, aged seventy-six years. Mr. Martin is in good health, his faculties are unimpaired, and a short time ago he built a cistern unassisted "just to show the boys how an old man could work," as he expressed it.

Found Coal in Franklin County.

Charles Burkholder, a well driller, of Chambersburg, claims to have found coal on a farm sixteen miles west of the town. A company of six has been formed to develop the field. A well to be 250 feet deep is now being drilled. Negotiations are in progress for leasing 2000 acres of land in the vicinity of the find.

Easton Accepts Carnegie's Offer.

The Easton School Board has decided to accept the offer of Andrew Carnegie to contribute $50,000 for the erection of a public library providing the citizens of Easton will furnish the site. The School Board will levy a tax of $5000 a year toward its support.

Incendiary Warns a Farmer.

Jacob Bowers, of Penn Township, found the following notice upon the door of his barn: "Your barn will be burned down before the first of June. Please keep an eye on your cattle." Mr. Bowers, as well as the farmers in the vicinity, are greatly alarmed.

Sought Death After His Joke.

Because his father would not laugh at what he thought a funny story John Maloney, aged twenty-five, of Erie, tried to hang himself in the kitchen of his home. The family found him slowly strangling to death, and he was turned over to the police.

Farmers Treed By Mad Dog.

A mad dog at Kenilworth bit a large number of other dogs and led his pursuers a wild chase over fields and public roads before he was finally killed. Some of the farmers were attacked by the canine, and had to climb trees to avoid being bitten.

All Through the State.

Both blast furnaces at Sheridan are now in operation.

M. E. Zuendel has been appointed postmaster at Starr.

Reading's Woman's Club is trying to provide more play ground for school children.

Robbers took nearly $1000 from a chest in the home of Jesse Quigel, near Williamsport.

Mayne Estella Beissel, aged eleven years, died at Shamokin of over-exertion while jumping rope.

BOER CASE LOST IN COURT

Judge Parlange, of New Orleans, Declines to Stop Shipment of Mules.

Decides That the Court Has No Jurisdiction in the Suit of General Pearson and Others.

New Orleans, La.—Judge Parlange, of the United States Circuit Court rendered a decision in the Boer suit brought by General Sam Pearson of the Boer Army, Consul-General Charles D. Pierce, of the Orange River Free State and Edward Van Ness, of New York City, asking for an injunction to prevent the shipment of mules and horses from New Orleans to the British Army in South Africa. The Court denied the injunction asked for on the ground that the Court is without jurisdiction in the matter.

The Court also reviewed the case and decided that the plaintiffs had not a foot to stand on; that mules and horses cannot be regarded as munitions of war; that under the treaty of Washington of 1871 with Great Britain, private citizens of neutral countries can lawfully sell supplies to belligerents; that in this particular case, the vessels which the plaintiffs sought to enjoin and prevent from carrying mules and horses to Africa were private vessels not equipped for the military service of England, but carrying on their regular commercial business, and prepared to carry any kind of cargoes.

It is true that they carried horses and mules, but these were landed not in the Transvaal or Orange River Free State, but in the British possession, Cape Colony; and there was no more reason why the United States should prevent the shipment of mules and horses to Cape Colony than to Canada or Australia. As for the complaint of General Pearson that these mules and horses were being sent to Africa to destroy property, the Judge ruled that in order to appeal to equity in a case of this kind, it was necessary to show that the damage apprehended is clear and reasonable, and not remote, undistinct and even speculative as in this case.

The plaintiffs had made no charge that the neutrality laws were being violated. "But aside from all these considerations," said Judge Parlange, "the Court's view is that the case is a political one of which a court of equity can take no cognizance, and which, in the very nature of governmental things, must belong to the Executive branch of the Government.

"The three complainants are private citizens. They own property in the South African Republic and the Orange Free State, foreign countries now at war with Great Britain. They fear that the war, if continued, will result in the destruction of their property. They believe that if the shipment of mules and horses from this port are stopped, the war will cease; they claim that by virtue of a declaration of international law contained in an international treaty, to which the foreign countries in which their property is situated were not parties, they have the personal right to enjoin the shipments for the purpose of stopping the injury to their property through the destruction which they apprehend will result to it from a continuation of the war. When the complainants' cause is thus analyzed and the nature of the alleged right under the treaty is considered, it is obvious that a court of equity cannot take cognizance of the cause. I am clearly of opinion that this cause is not within the cognizance of this Court and for that reason the rule nisi must be denied."

Boarman, District Judge, who sat in this cause with Parlange, District Judge, concurred in the opinion.

$90,000 BANK EMBEZZLEMENT.

Temporary Receiver Appointed For the Farmers' National, of Vergennes, Vt.

Washington, D. C.—The Controller of the Currency has appointed J. T. Sullivan temporary receiver for the Farmers' National Bank, of Vergennes, Vt. Bank Examiner Fish, during an examination of the bank on April 3, discovered a shortage in the cash, and a further investigation, which has been conducted by Special Examiner Cunningham, indicates a total embezzlement by the cashier, D. H. Lewis, of $90,000.

After the discovery of the defalcation the examiner secured the return of $25,000 to the bank. Until a more complete investigation into the acts of the cashier is made it is impossible to say whether any loss will accrue to the depositors. It is not believed, however, that such a loss will be large. The deposits on February 5 amounted to about $80,000, and the capital stock and surplus to $60,000.

EVANS DECLARED A MURDERER.

Brother of South Carolina's Former Governor Held For a Fatal Shooting.

Columbia, S. C.—Major Barnard Bee Evans, brother of former Governor John Cary Evans, who is a prospective candidate for the United States Senate against McLaurin, was arrested in his room for the murder of Captain John J. Griffin, commercial representative in this State, of the Norfolk and Western Railroad.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that to the best of its belief the death of Captain Griffin was caused by a gunshot wound inflicted at the hands of Major Evans. The news of the tragedy excited intense interest over the State. There are many theories for the killing, but none has much to support them. It is known that Major Evans was in financial straits.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 21—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Walking with Jesus.—Col. ii, 6, 7; Gal. v, 16-26.

Walk, as a figure of life, is a Hebraism introduced into the English translation of the New Testament. Old Testament worthies such as Enoch and Noah are said to have "walked with God." Borrowing this expression, the translators of the New Testament place before our minds the figures of "walking in truth," "walking in the Spirit," "walking with Christ." It is an apt and suggestive figure. The Christian life is a walk with Christ. No better practical definition of the Christian life can be given than this.

The reception of Christ is the necessary preliminary to a walk with Christ. "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in Him." The Colossians had received Christ. They had received Him as Lord. Therefore Paul reasons they should walk in Him. As the Colossians first received Christ before they could walk in Him, so must we. There can be no walking in Him without a previous reception of Him. Christ without is absolutely impossible until we have Christ within. The outward life is necessarily the expression of the inward life. Christ is received by faith. As a result of the reception of Christ, the heart, the inward principle of life, is changed. Then Christ, being within, is lived without.

Having received Christ, we should walk in Him. "As ye have received Him, walk in Him." To receive Christ and not to walk in Him would be both unreasonable and impossible. Why should we receive Christ if we do not intend to walk with Him? And how could we have Him in the heart and His presence not be manifested in the outward life? He has received Christ in vain who does not walk with Him. The Christian's life is necessarily a life of walking with Christ, a life of union with Him. Christ is no latent principle; He is not a theme to be idly contemplated nor a creed to be indifferently laid aside. Christ is a power, a divine power, that cannot be received without being manifested.

The walk with Christ should possess certain characteristics. 1. It should be enthusiastic. We receive Christ enthusiastically and should walk with Him in the same way. 2. It should be a stable and progressive walk. "Having been rooted and built up in Him." The figures are changed here to denote stability and growth. The tie that binds us to Christ in our walk with Him should not be a superficial one, but one that can stand the test of storm and of trial, and one that should increase in character and in results with time. 3. It should be a grateful walk, "Abounding therein with thanksgiving." We should be thankful to God that we have the joy and the privilege of walking with Christ. 4. It should be a fruit bearing walk. A life lived in union with Christ will produce the fruits of the Spirit and will be free from the works of the flesh. Gal. v, 16-26.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Let the leader or prayer meeting committee arrange a Bible reading covering the subject, "Walking With Jesus."

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps, xxiii, 1-6; Isa. ii, 5; Mark ii, xiv; John i, 35-37; Rom. viii, 1; xiii, 12-14; Eph. iv, 1-3; Col. i, 9-17; I Thess. ii, 10-12; iv, 1.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Topic For the Week Beginning April 21, "Walking With Jesus"—Text, Col. ii, 6, 7; Gal. v, 16-26.

"See then that ye walk circumspectly."

One of the best known educators in the country said recently that when a person passes along a street he should see all that is going on in that street and know what is in the shop windows.

This is going too far altogether. Since the heads of most people cannot endure so much confusion and could never unify and use the great mass of disconnected actions, things and ideas involved the best way is to see what is of value to yourself and pass the rest by. A glance will tell you if it will pay to give a look. You need not examine a hole as to its dimensions, depth and cause in order to avoid it.

To walk circumspectly one does not need to gaze around on everything within the circle of vision. There must be the quick, intelligent survey of the surroundings, the glance ahead and on each side for safety. Did you ever watch the way people walk the crowded streets of a city? It is worth your while to do it occasionally, so as to find out how you walk yourself. Thumb prints are no more characteristic of the individual than the manner of walking. A good detective will identify a man whom he has not seen for years at a distance, with the man's back turned to him, simply by his gait.

Every one has a certain gait in his Christian life, and much of success or failure in life depends upon it. Some saunter along with no special thought of the value or aim of life. Earnestness in religious things is too great a tax on energy or time to be seriously considered or too little refined. Some march as soldiers on sentry duty, with grim determination to do right, whatever it may cost, with no expectation or prospect of any pleasure in the exercise. Some push along with elbows out and aggressiveness in every motion. It matters little or nothing what discomfort others may suffer so long as they are able to drive ahead. There are some who walk with different mind and action to all these.

Such keep an eye open to avoid dangers from defective pathway or fellow travelers. This does not in any sense or great degree interfere with the joyous freedom and pleasure given by the passing life. Nor does it for a moment cause such care of self that it makes one indifferent to the comfort or danger of others. It allows the fullest scope for all the courtesies of the road and compliments of the season.

We are walking now with Jesus—at home, in our work, in all recreation as well as in religious gatherings. We are His companions. We must keep step with Him, for He has undertaken in our nature to keep step with us.

We should see, then, that we walk joyously.

A busy, bonny, kindly place
Is this rough world of ours
For those who love and work apace
And fill their hands with flowers.
To kind and just and grateful hearts
The present grace is given
To find a heaven in themselves
And find themselves in heaven.

We should be wise and avoid excesses and all indulgences of bodily appetites which are contrary to spiritual purity.

We should be patiently submissive to each other. Self will is destructive of all companionship, and if we are to walk with Jesus we must have the spirit of meekness in associating with our fellow men.

We must walk firmly and confidently, not haltingly or stumbling along. We can do this only as we have trust in God and conscience clear of evil intention. Confidence in Christ and hearty interest in the welfare of those around us give a firm tread to our Christian life. Feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace makes traveling easy, but painful as a pinching shoe is it to live in this world with doubts and fears and selfish contraction of soul.

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